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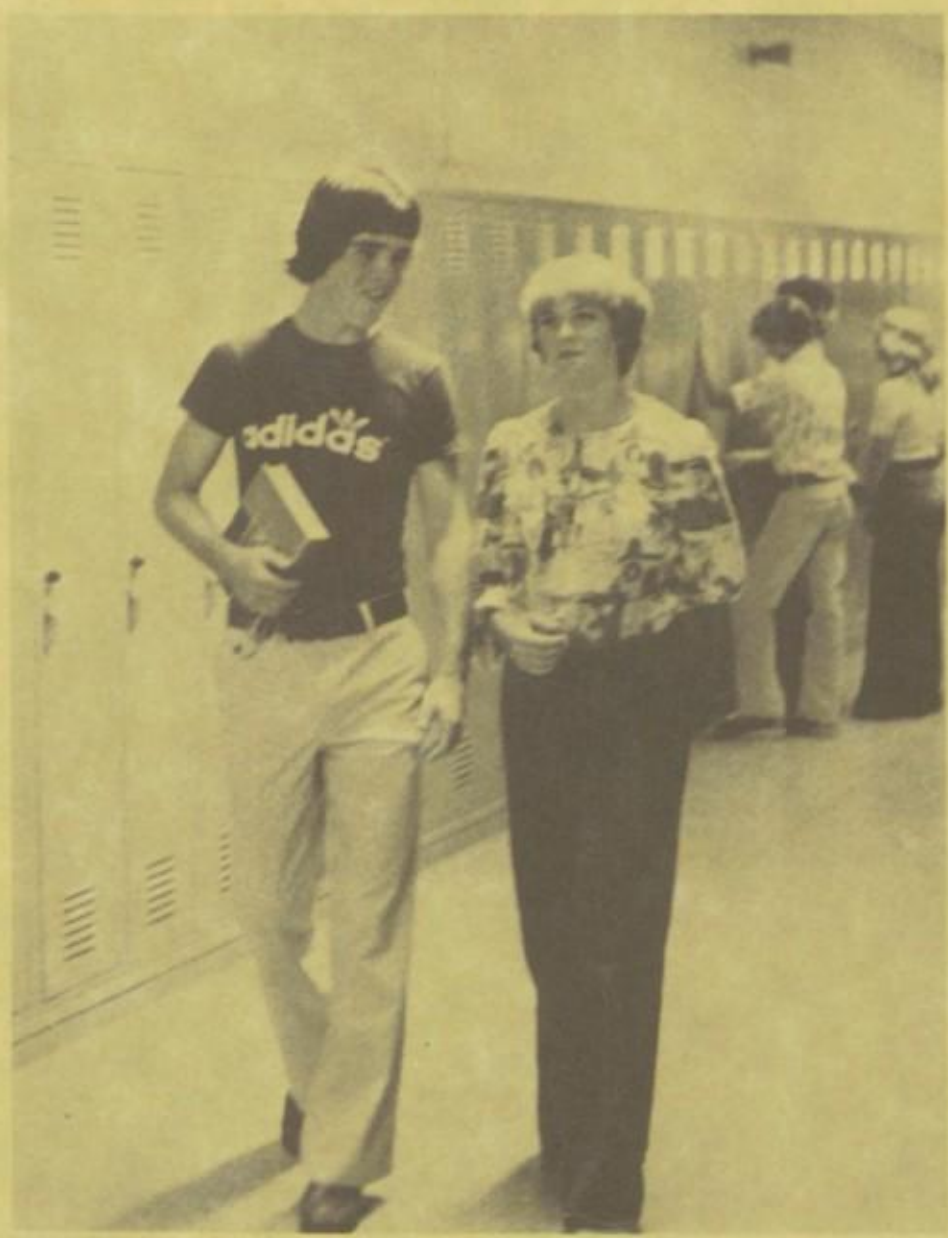

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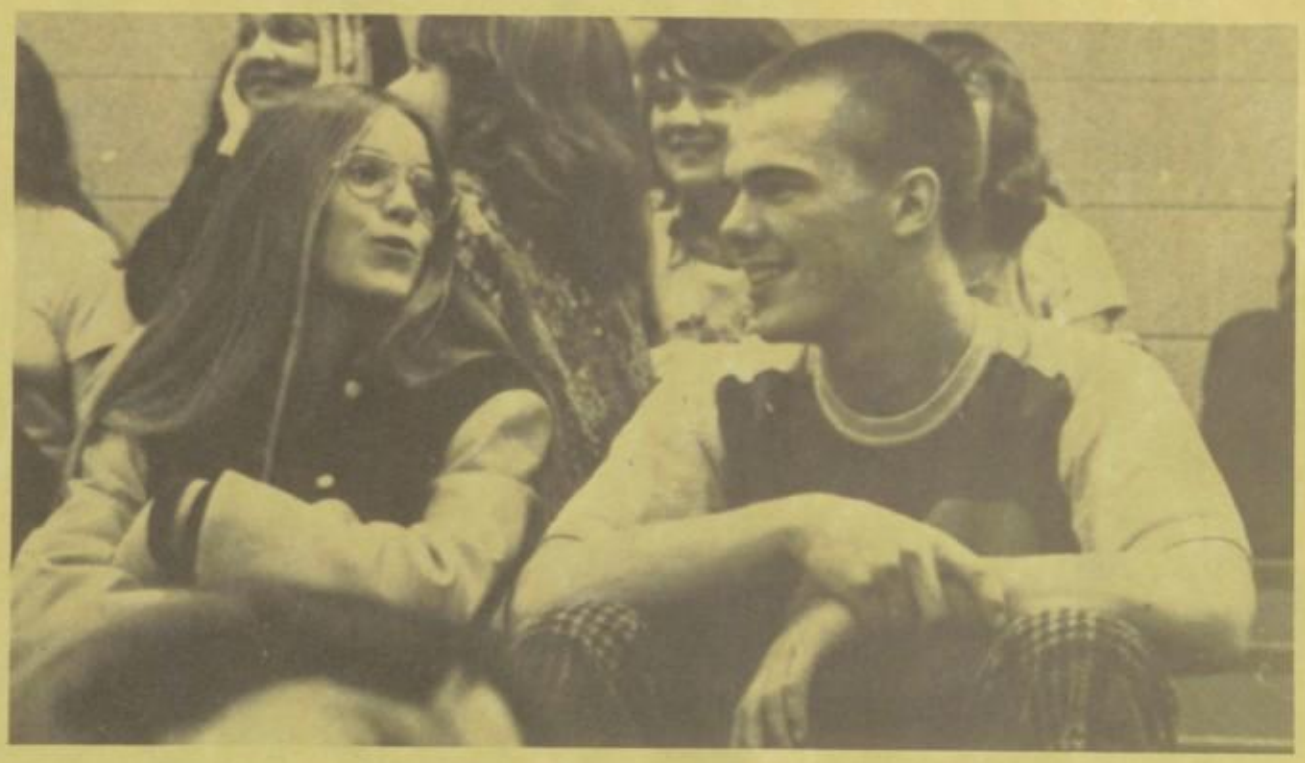
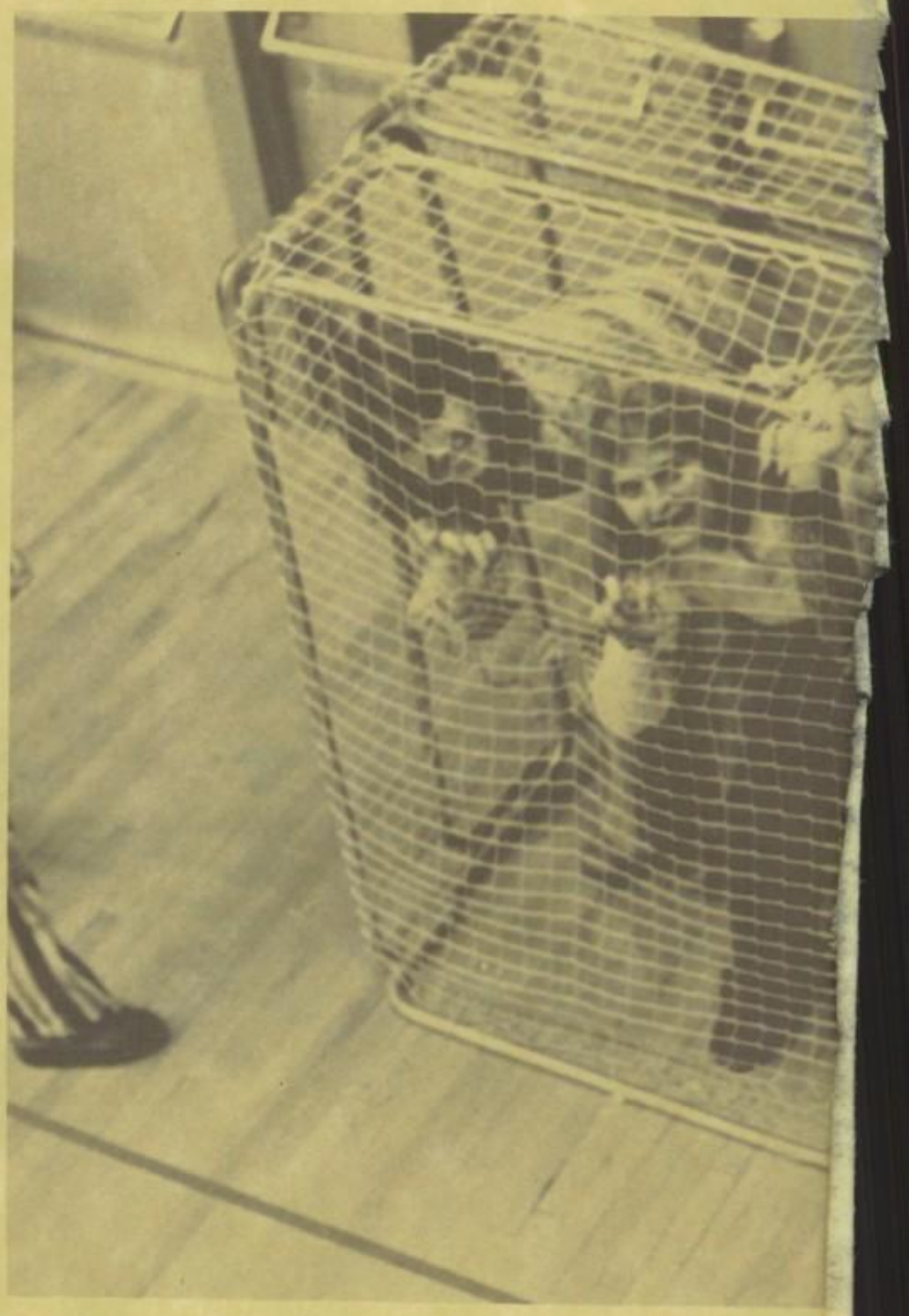
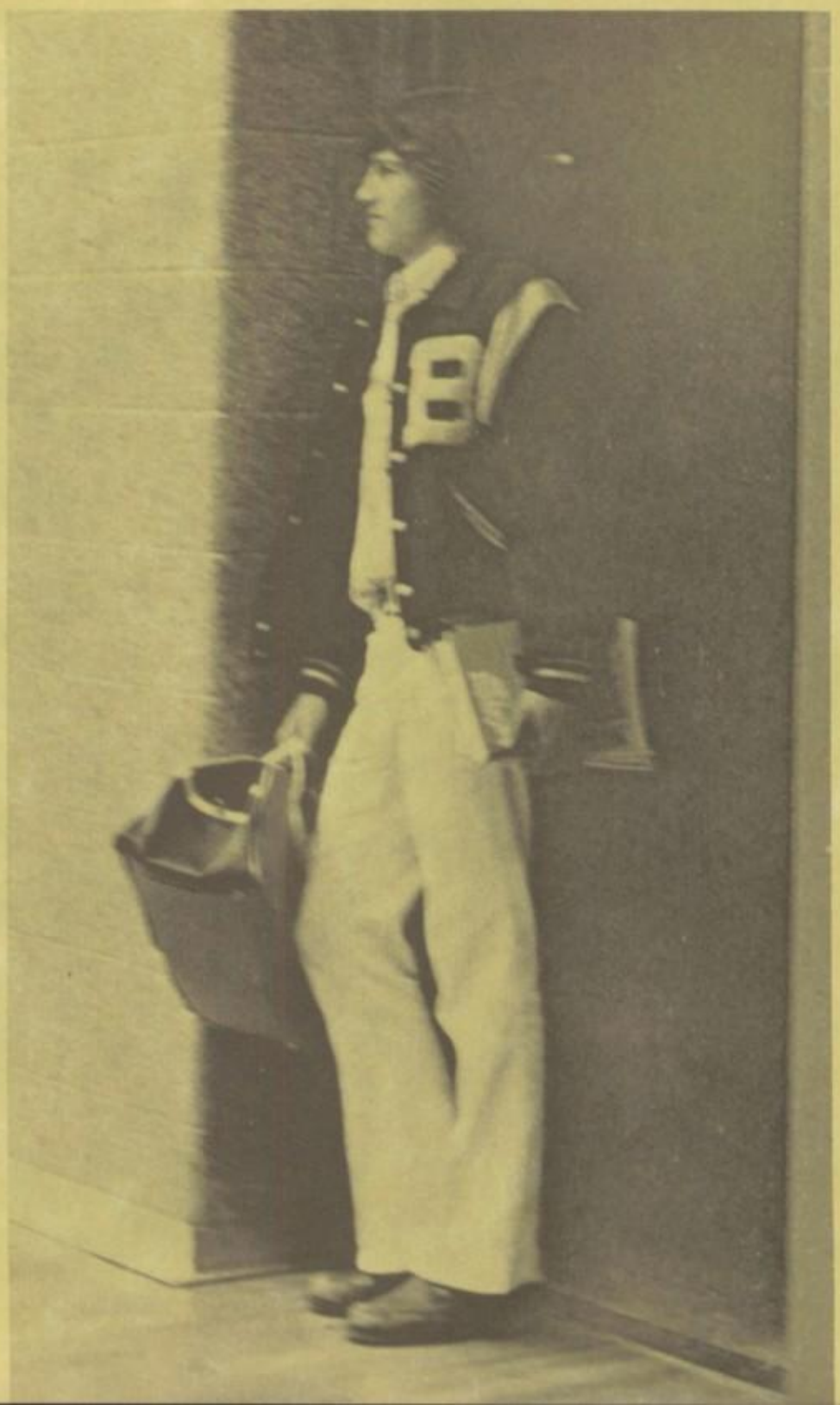


Moments as we live them, things we do or say...

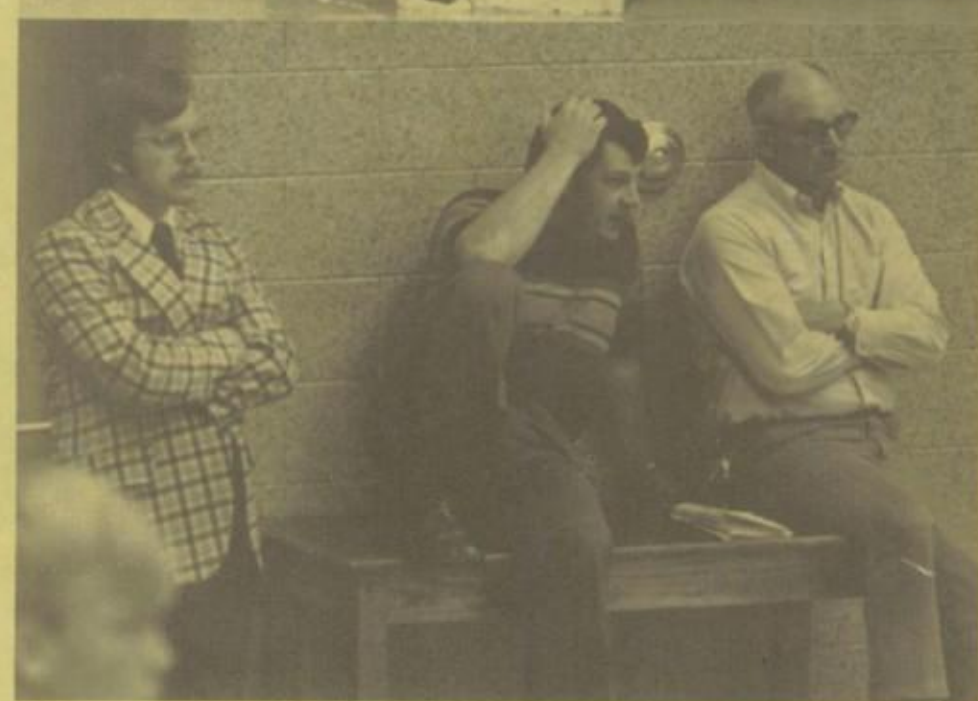


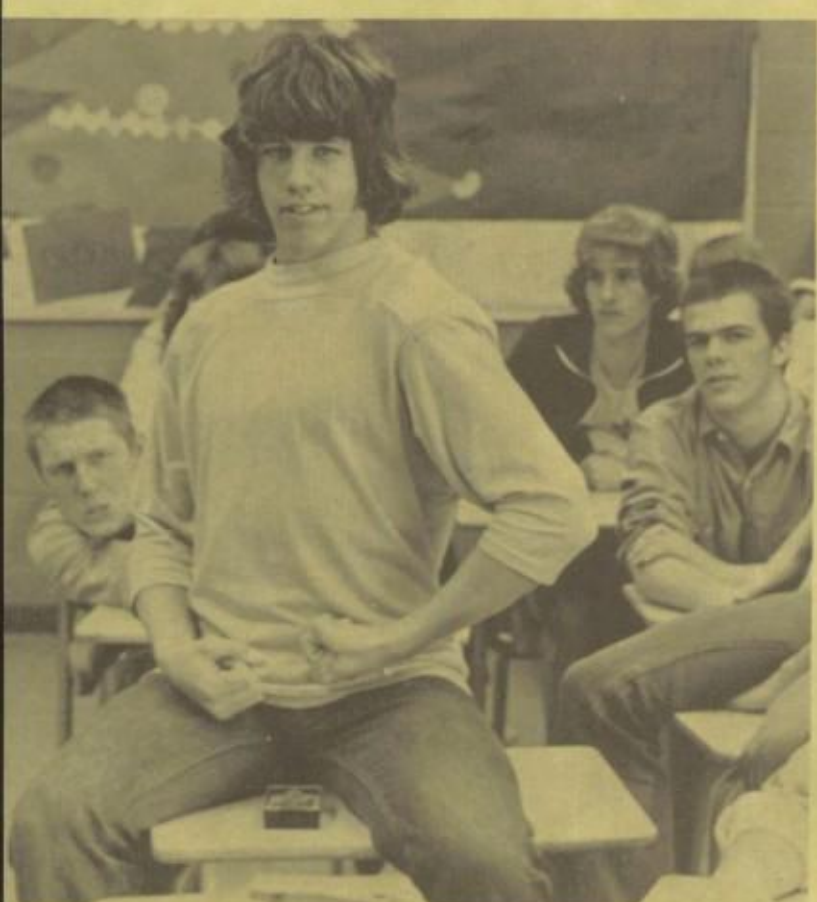
Memories are made of things, that happen every day.

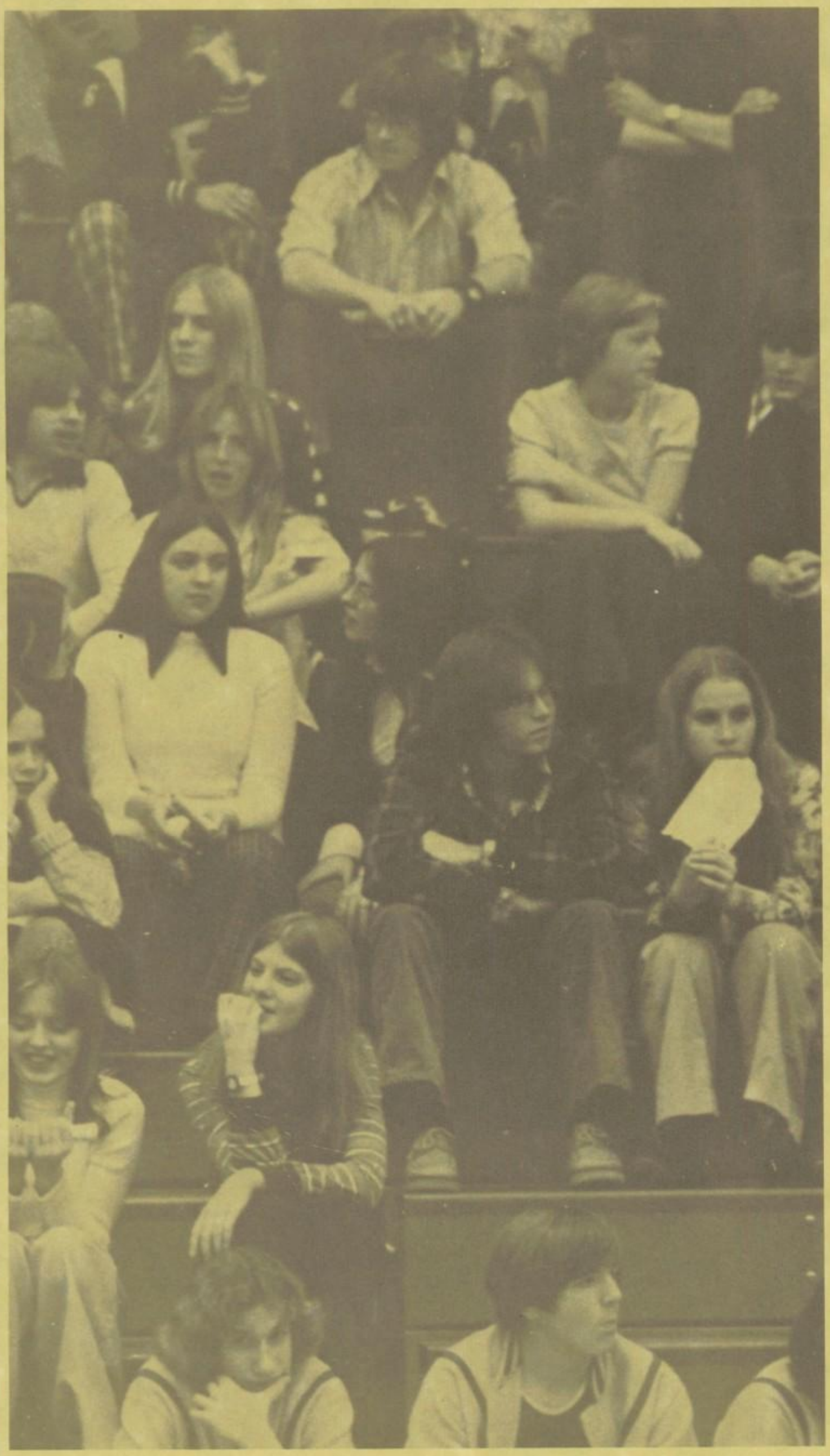


Little bits and pieces of laughter mixed with tears...

Create those golden memories we cherish through the years.







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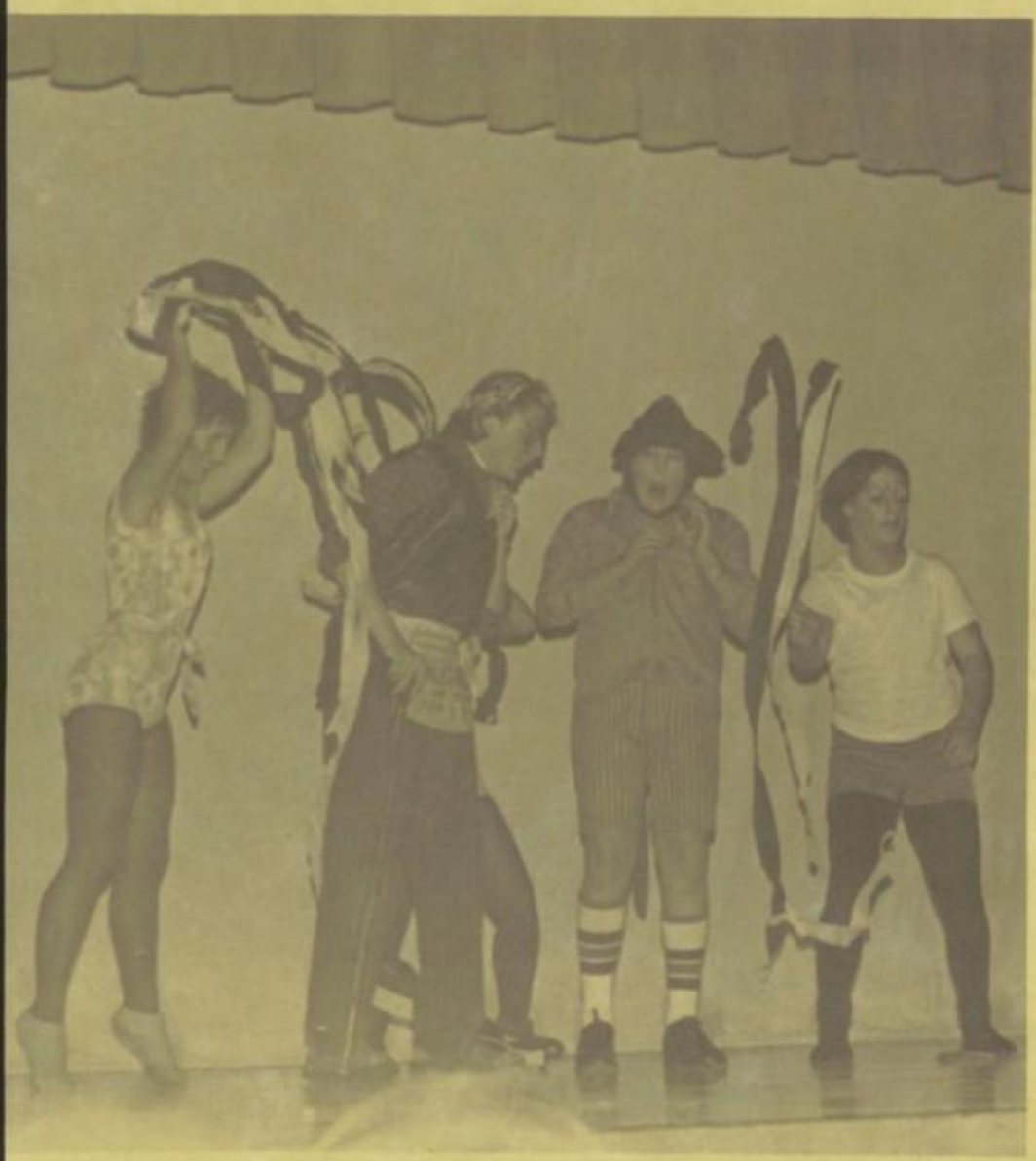
Homecoming Ignites School Spirit

Homecoming 1975... Saturday, October 11...
- ... alumni return to share the excitement
- ... Friday... pep assembly... Snake Dance
- ... parade on Saturday...
  - ... Junior float... Most Beautiful
  - ... Pep Club float... Most Original
  - ... Senior Band float... Most Humorous
- ... Homecoming game... Huskies take on Seminary
- ... excitement at halftime...
  - ... Rose Anguiano named Queen
- ... Breckenridge accepts defeat... 13-0
- ... Queen Rose recrowned at the dance
- ... Homecoming 1975 is brought to a close

Opposite page, top: 1975 Homecoming Court--Junior Cathy Clingenpeel, Senior Deb Horvat, Senior Steff Hite, Queen Rose Anguiano, Senior Bonnie Mizer, Sophomore Lisa McCrory, Freshman Karen Northrup. Lower left: Queen Rose was re-crowned at the Homecoming Dance by Co-captains Bill Sweany and Doug Londry while the members of her court look on. Center right: Huskie fans cheer as the dummy of the Seminary Cardinals is burned by the Varsity Cheerleaders. Upper left: Tammi Schutt, Lynda Shankel, and Karen Northrup get into the Homecoming spirit during the Snake Dance. Center left: The Junior class captured the "Most Beautiful" award with their float theme, "Color My World." Bottom left: BHS students gathered in the gym on Friday for a pep assembly to fire up the team. Above: Senior tailback Bill Sweany gains extra yardage for the Huskies behind the blocking of Don Gleesing (43) and Gary Edgecombe (73). Below: Excitement radiates from her smile as Queen Rose Anguiano takes the traditional ride around the field at halftime.

'Pinocchio! What is happening to your nose?

PINOCCHIO... a children's play...
... Drama Club and all-school production
... director... Dianne Young
... student director... Kitty Bryce
... three performances... November 20-21...
... Multi-Cap... elementary school... public
... proceeds donated to Camp Monroe
... elementary children delighted...
... elves... Blue Fairy... Pleasure Isle
... "The lies are as plain as the nose on your face!"



Cast of PINOCCHIO

PINOCCHIO	Charlie Seeley
GLISSANDRA	Jay Pulliam
SPRUCE	Penny Howd
MAPLE	Linda Giles
WALNUT	Don Chaput
MASTRONI	Kurt Peters
HARLEQUIN	Mel Weaver
PUNCHINELLO	Lisa McCrory
GEPPETO	Kurt Peters
FOX	Dale Hopkins
CAT	Jean Heinen
CANDLEWICK	Randy Nagel
CARLOTTA	Sandie Kaufman
TONY	Tom Gulick
MARIA	Michelle Weaver
ANITA	Amy Betz
COACHMAN	Tom Gulick
BOYS AT PLEASURE	Janet Myers
	Pat Myers
	Vicki Bailey
	Mel Weaver
	Cindy Battley
	Lisa McCrory
DONKEY	Penny Clapp
POLICEMAN	Don Chaput

Opposite page, upper left: After the joyous reunion of Pinocchio and Geppeto in the whale, the elves create smoke to make the whale sneeze. Lower left: Ruth Hoffman applies make-up to Lisa McCrory, transforming her into Punchinello, the dancing puppet. Upper right: The Great Mastroni Puppet Show featured the dancing puppets Punchinello and Harlequin.

Top: The cast of Pinocchio takes their final bow after an enjoyable and profitable performance. Center left: The children look on in awe while Candlewick explains that Geppeto was swallowed by a BIG whale. Left: Glissandra scolds the elves for frolicking at the beach when they should have been continuing the story of Pinocchio. Above: "How touching!" The fox blows his nose while the cat sheds a fake tear.

'Feelings'

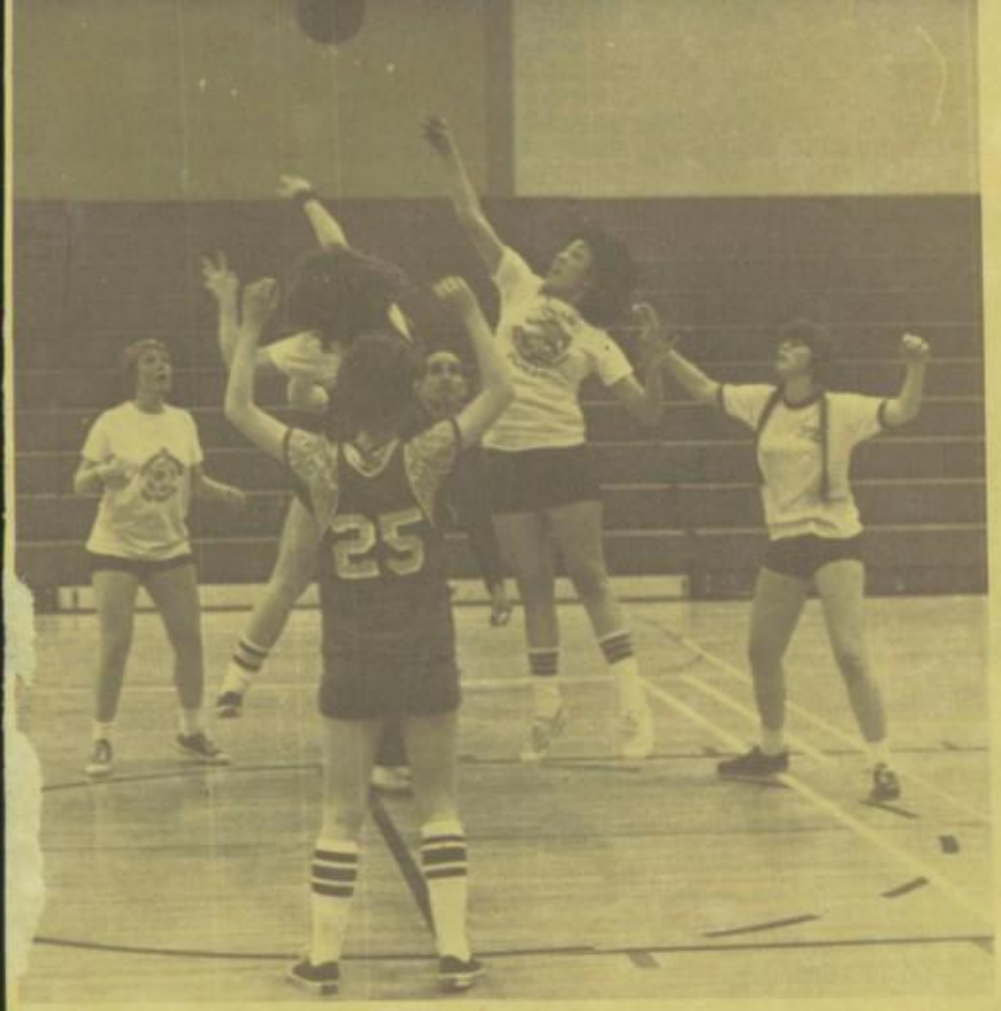
Snowball '76... February 14...
- ... Queen Sheila Ward and court
- ... semi-formal
- ... music of Westwood
- ... dancing couples... smiling sweet-hearts
- ... red hearts... cupids
- ... sponsored by Student Council

Right: Smiling and happy, 1976 Snowball Queen Sheila Ward poses with her escort Barry Gaines. Bottom: Memories of the Snowball are shared by the Queen's court and their escorts--Junior representative Cindy Acton and her escort Tom Gulick, Sophomore representative Bobbi Katt and her escort Rick Bushre, Freshman representative Carolyn Clingenpeel and her escort Bob Stebbins, Queen Sheila Ward and her escort Barry Gaines, Senior Ruth Hoffman and her escort Neil Jenkins, Senior Kim Kleinhans and her escort Dave Coyle, Senior Carol Stover and her escort Bill Myers.
Opposite page, top: BHS couples enjoyed the music of Westwood at the 1976 Snowball. Center left: Cindy Acton and Tom Gulick share a special moment. Lower left: Sophomore sweethearts enjoy the Snowball together. Center right: Couples take a break between dances. Lower right: A relaxing atmosphere was enjoyed by over 100 couples.

Seniors Win Powderpuff Title

...November 12th... traditional event
...freezing cold... determination
...Senior guys as cheerleaders
...Junior "Heifers"
...Powderpuff candidates...
...Tom Bayes... Doug Londry
...Doug Oberst... Bill Sweany
...Doug Oberst crowned King
...victorious Seniors... 14-0

Above: Rose Anguiano crowns Doug Oberst Powderpuff King while her teammates look on. Upper right: Senior guys form a near-perfect mount while they cheer the Senior girls to victory. Center right: Quarterback Jill Gronda clutches the pigskin as she makes another gain for the Seniors. Right: Good blocking allows for a high punt from Senior Kim Burtch.

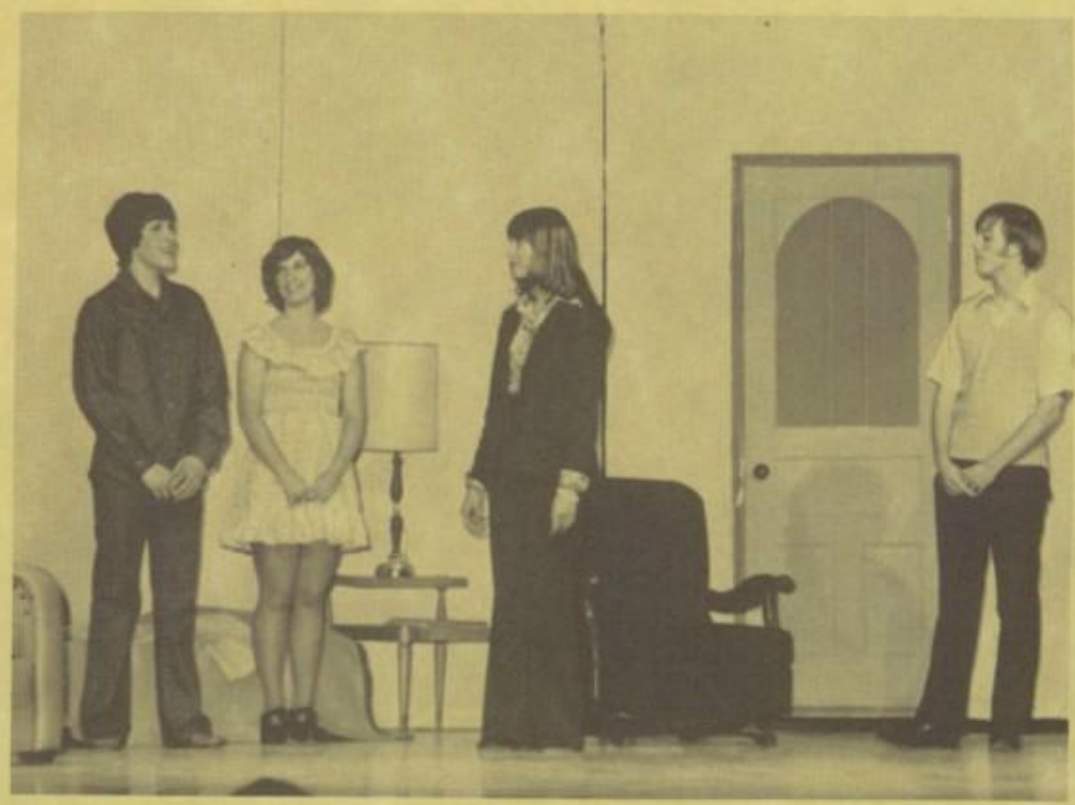


Juniors Outplay Sophomores... 27 to 17

... April 13...
... Sophomores over Freshmen... 27 to 14
... rough, tough battle
... Juniors outscore Seniors... 23 to 20
... see-saw contest
... Consolation game... April 26...
... Seniors defeat Freshmen... 39 to 14
... Championship game...
... Juniors dominate

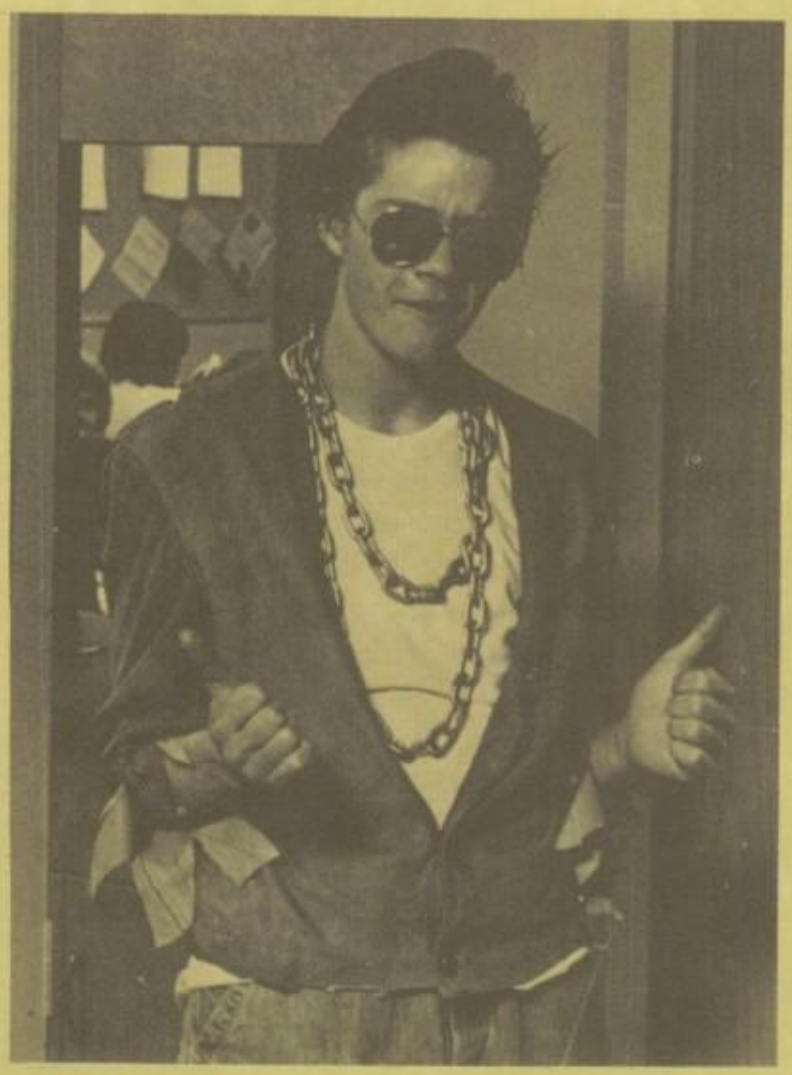
Upper left: A jumpball between the Juniors and Seniors is part of first round Powderpuff action. Left: Support from the bench is shown by Sophomore coaches and players. Lower left: Junior Jane Kennedy dribbles toward the basket guarded by Senior Kim Kleinhans. Below: "Victorious Juniors." Front row: Coaches Scott Laurenz and Bruce Neal. Second row: LuAnn Myers, Cathy Sandy, Sunday McLean, Bonnie Warmouth. Back row› Linda Muscott, Jane Kennedy, Jeannette Varner, Marcy Dunn.

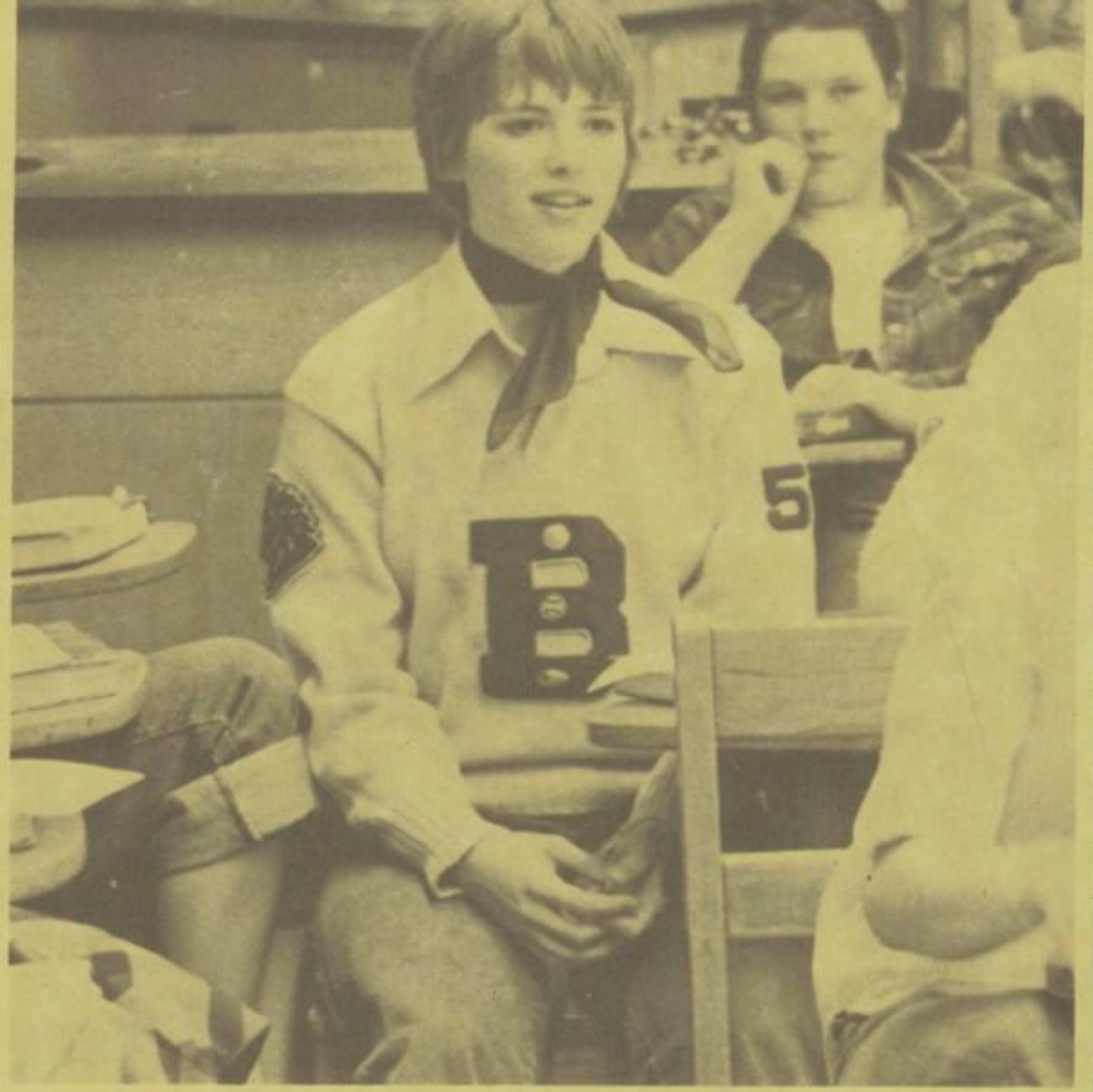
Three One-Act Plays... March 19th and 20th...
... a murder mystery...
... THREE BOTTLES OF RELISH
... a drama...
... DARK EYES
... a comedy...
... FRENCH TOAST
... practice three times a week
... set building... poster parties
... money making project... Drama Club
... student directors... Jay Pulliam...
... Mary Fleming
... director... Dianne Young



Opposite page, center left: Willie Smithers (Dale Hopkins) and Jenny Hutchinson (Lisa McCrory) are stunned when David Linley (Charlie Seeley) tells them about the murder. Bottom: Casts of the three one-act plays--Front row: Lisa McCrory, Carol Parfitt, Mel Weaver, Sandie Kaufman, Penny Clapp, Amy Betz, Linda Giles, Kitty Bryce, Diane Dancer. Back row: Charlie Seeley, Dale Hopkins, Becky Bigford, Chris Myers, Rhonda Beals, Eldon Burkett, Randy Nagel. Upper right: Stoney Jones (Randy Nagel) makes a speech at his wedding party while his fiancee Nancy (Linda Giles), her mother (Amy Betz) and his best man Charlie (Eldon Burkett) listen. Center right: Jane Harden (Becky Bigford) gives her roommate Anne Davenport (Penny Clapp) a helping hand to the couch while the maids (Mel Weaver and Chris Myers) watch. Left: Anne's mother (Sandie Kaufman) is upset when her daughter won't come down to dinner because she is left with an odd number of guests. Lower left: Director Dianne Young and student director Jay Pulliam watch as all their hard work unfolds on stage. Below: Nannette (Kitty Bryce) reminds Stoney how happy they were in Paris when they were married, while her mother (Madame deTour) listens. Lower right: Charlie wakes up with a start on the morning of Stoney's wedding.

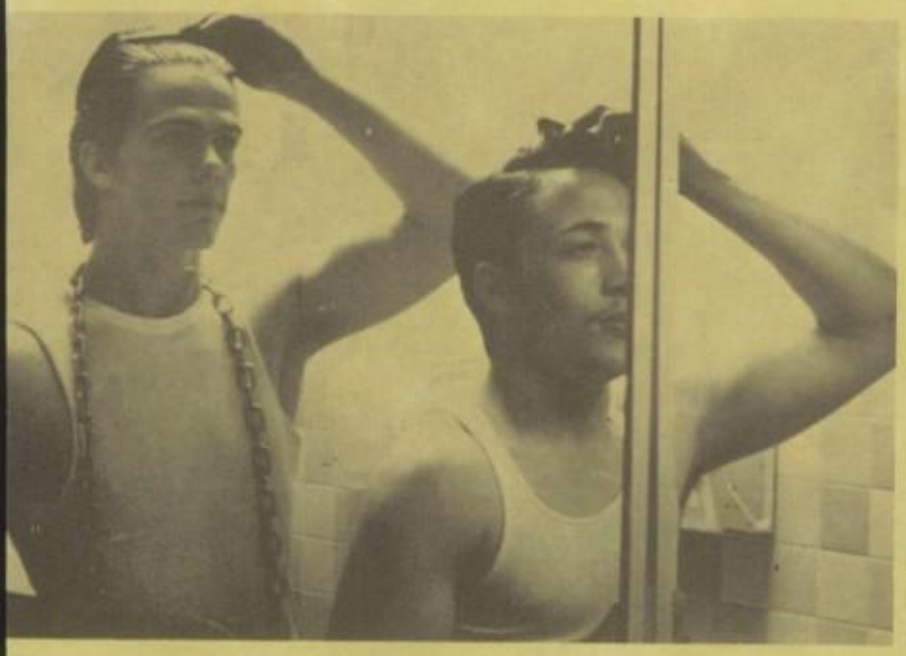
Three One-Act Plays Offer Variety

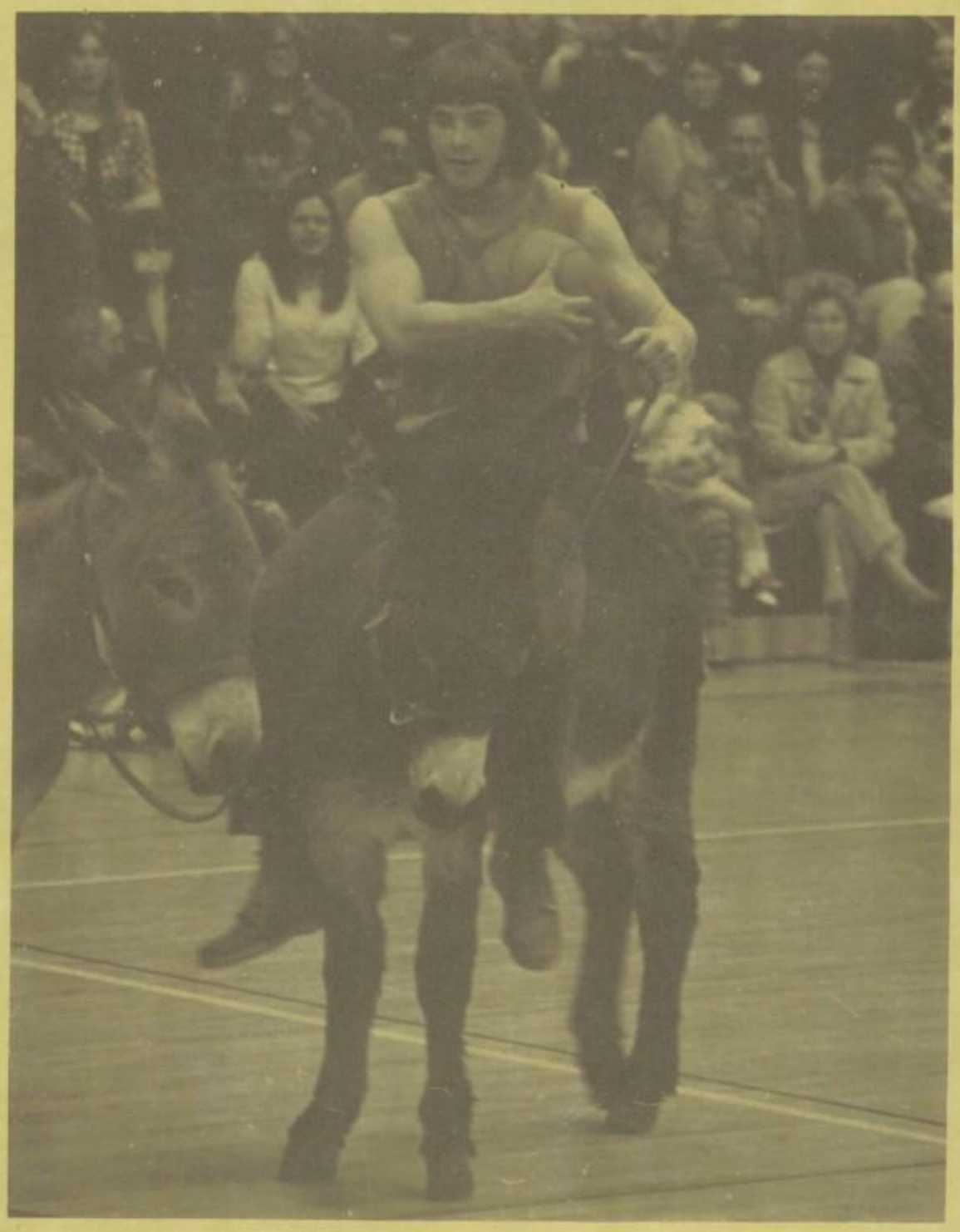




April Antics

Spring fever...
- ...Fifty's Day...
  - ...greased hair and pony tails
  - ...reliving a past era
- ...Senior-Faculty basketball...
  - ...spirited... traditional contest
  - ...Seniors emerge victorious
- ...Donkey Basketball...
  - ...BHS vs. Ithaca Seniors
  - ...many laughs
- ...Sadie Hawkins Dance...
  - ...George Kubin's Light Show
  - ...girl's escort guys
- ...nostalgic fun





Opposite page, upper left: Pete "Pedro" Heinen gives his "cool" look to fellow students. Lower left: Don Gleasing and Dan Carter "slick back" before going to class. Upper right: Lynda Shankel gets caught by a cameraman during 50's day. Top: Tom Bayes tries to hang on as he "gallops" toward the basket. Center left: Penny Howd sets a pick with her donkey so Sheila Ward can get a good shot at the basket. Lower left: Steve Clapp grins smugly at an Ithaca player. Above: Shawn Spaulding makes an easy lay-up with help from her donkey.

"Something Sort O' Grandish"...Finian's Rainbow

FINIAN'S RAINBOW...
- ... all school cast... musical stars...
  - ... Alfredo Garcia... Finian
  - ... Carol Stover... Sharon
  - ... Rick Bushre... Woody
- ... "Look, Look, Look to the Rainbow!"
- ... "How Are Things in Glocca Morra?"
- ... involvement...
  - ... students... teachers... committees
- ... set manager... Mr. Robert Clark
- ... set construction... Mr. Terry Voss...
  - ... Mr. Steve Ostrander
- ... costumes... Miss Carolyn Dunn
- ... pit band... Mr. Robert Brenner
- ... director... Mrs. Deborah Murchie
- ... student director... Lezlie Zeitler

Opposite page, top: The cast of FINIAN'S RAINBOW stages their grand finale. Center left: The "Necessity Girl's" sing the song of their fame, "Necessity." Center right: Og (John Burt) and Sharon (Carol Stover) sit by the well and talk. Lower right: Howard (John Watson) tries for the job of the "perfect butler."

Upper left: Susan (Lisa McCrory) speaks through her dancing. Center left: Finian uses his Irish imagination to describe the prosperity of Rainbow Valley. Left: Senator Rawkins (Steve Ostrander) and Buzz Collins (Bob Burt) discuss the high price of property taxes. Upper right: Led by Mr. Robert Brenner, the Pit Band added spirit to the musical production. Above: Woody (Rick Bushre) serenades Sharon (Carol Stover) to the tune of "The Old Devil's Moon."

"Precious And Few"...Are The Moments...

...We Two Can Share

Jr.-Sr. Prom...May 15...
...unique decorations...
...flowing fountain
...glittering stars
...sparkling chandelier
...a summer house
...featured band...Magi
...a treasured occasion

Opposite page, top: Formally-clad couples dance to the music of "Magi". Lower left: Ken Nietzke and Chris Myers head back to their table after a slow dance. Lower right: Stuart Nagel and Julie Huntoon pose for pictures taked by Dick's Studio of Ithaca.
Left: Ken Van Tine and Taryn Acton relax and enjoy the music. Center left: Jan Hoard, along with other Junior girls, served punch and cake at the Prom. Bottom: The stage was decorated and filled with tables for couples to relax between dances. Below: Sunday McLean fastens the last part of tinsel chandelier before it is hoisted to the ceiling.

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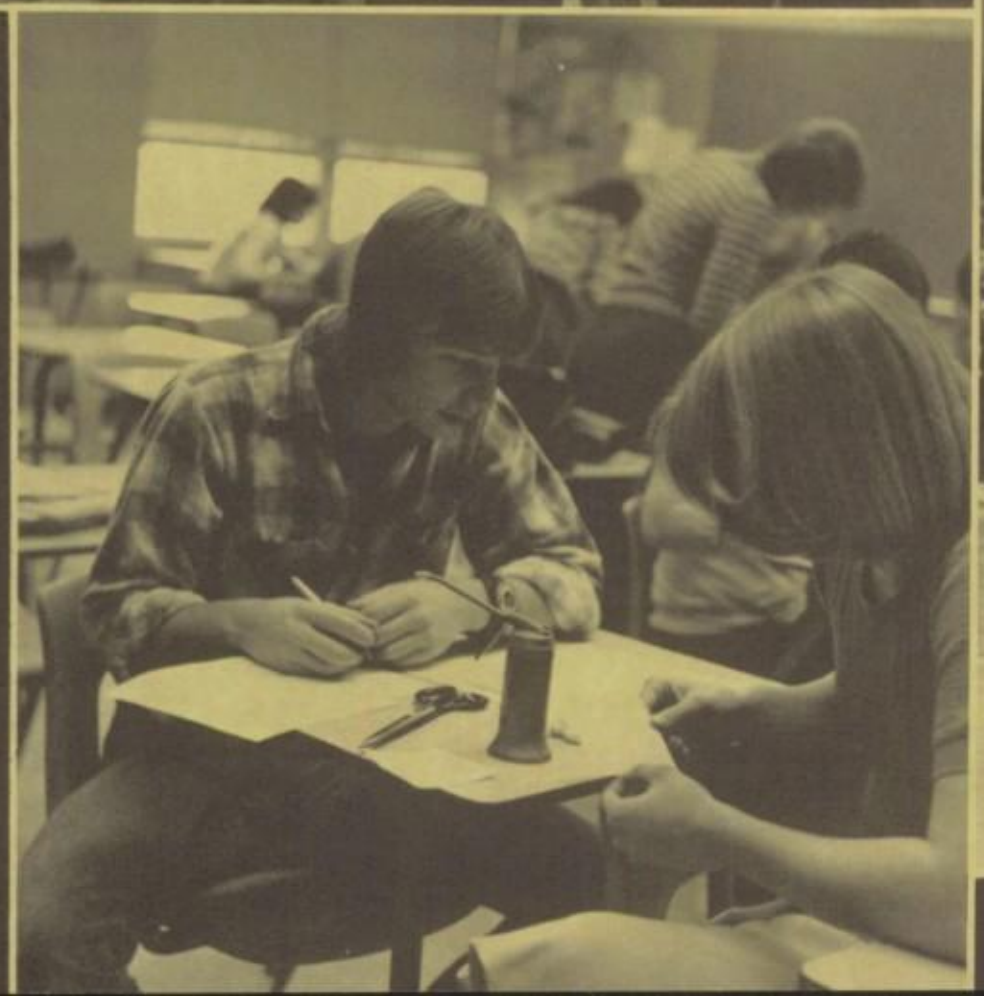

Band Fires Up For An Active Year

Senior Band...

...director... Robert Brenner... second year
...band camp at Wolverine
...heavy practices... drills... 8 to the 5
...marching competitions... Chesaning Parade of Bands...
...Bridgeport Invitational... flags
...half-time shows... pep band
...Jazz band.. new addition
...Concert Band performances...
...Christmas... Spring... Pops
...District Festivals... II division rating
...financial support... Band Boosters...
...Rock-A-Thon... bake sale
...parades... Homecoming... Memorial Day...
...Highland Festival
...band float... "Most Humorous"
...Band Banquet... May 13...
...John Philip Sousa Award... Vicki Bailey
...Most Improved Player... Lori Beers
...Spirit Award... Charlie Seeley

Upper right: Director Robert Brenner watches with pride as the "Marching Huskies" perform at halftime. Right: The pit band for FINIAN'S RAINBOW relaxes at practice. Below: The 1975-76 "Marching Huskies."
Opposite page, top: The Concert Band takes pride in their playing. Center left: The Jazz Band presents a new sound for the concert season. Lower left: Practice makes perfect, as shown by Bill Rhodes, Sophomore tuba player. Center right: The Senior Band received the "Most Humorous" award for their Homecoming float. Lower right: Field director Linda Giles leads the "Marching Huskies."

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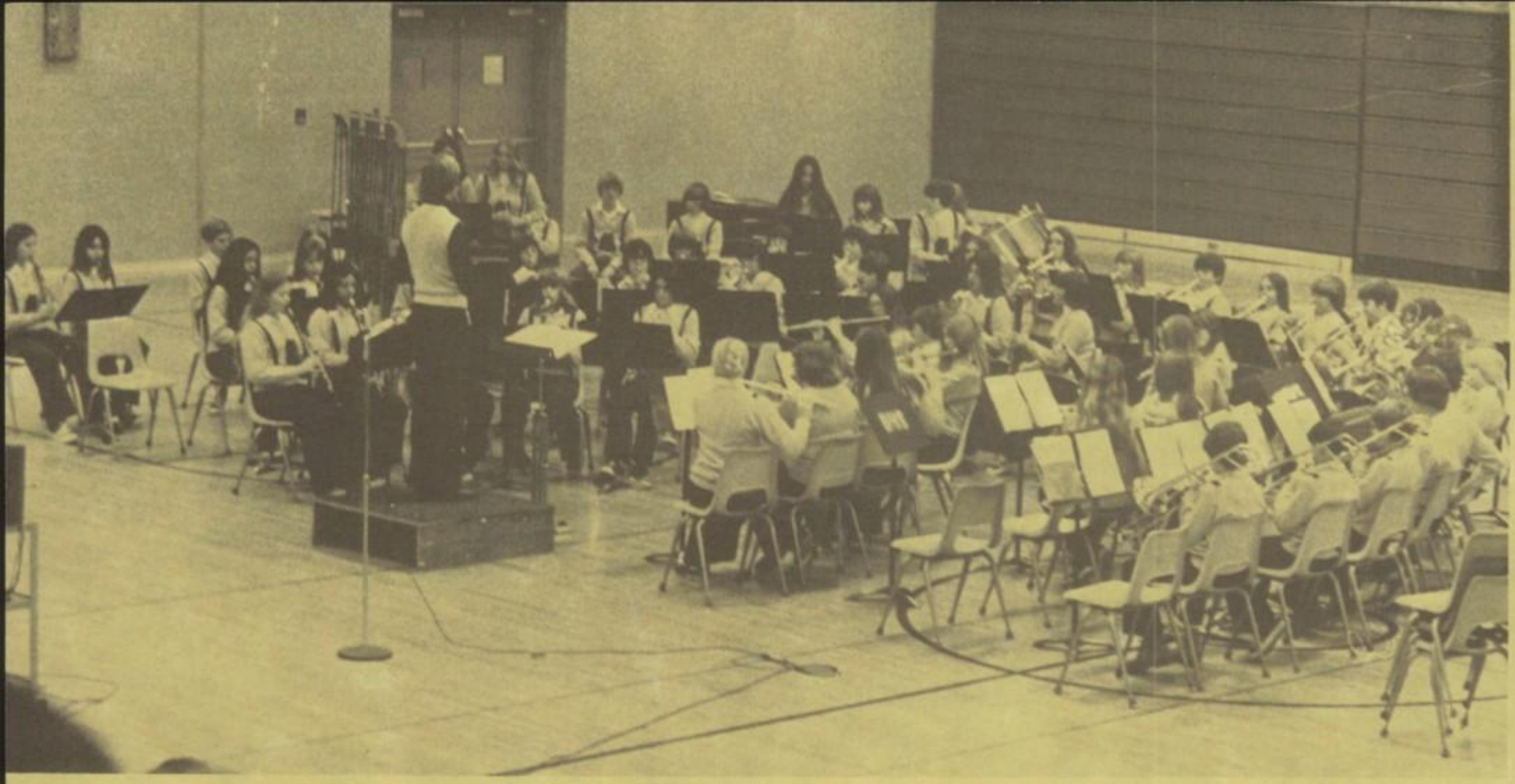


Junior High ...Generates Spirit Through Music

Junior Band...
...practice... tryouts... challenges
...Homecoming Parade... new addition... eight flags
...field marching experience... half-time show
...concerts... Christmas... Spring... Pops
...Festivals... II division rating
...Highland Festival... Memorial Day Parade
...Band Banquet
...director... Mr. Dave Dayringer

Top: Under the direction of Mr. Dave Dayringer, the Junior Band performs in the Christmas Concert. Below: Marching in the Homecoming Parade proves to be a fine experience for Junior Band members. Right: Clarinets, cornets, and percussionists play their instruments with pride during the Pops Concert. Lower right: Concentration in the low brass and alto sections is evident as they perform during the Pops Concert.

Junior High Choir...
- ...Eighth graders...singing together
- ...concerts...
  - ...Christmas
  - ...Pops
  - ...elementary schools
  - ...Beal City exchange
- ...Choir Banquet...
  - ...Spirit Award...Lois Stover
- ...Deborah Murchie...director

Upper left: Ann Kennedy skillfully plays a solo on her clarinet during the Pops Concert. Center: The 1975-76 Junior High Choir and their director, Mrs. Murchie. Left: Junior High Choir members sang several selections during the Pops Concert.

Senior Choir...

...director...Deborah Murchie
...40 melodious members
..."me-ah-ee"...sight-reading
...Homecoming..."Magic"
...Halloween hayride
...Christmas concert...caroling
...Delta Music Fest
...Good Friday service
...Pops Concert
...Choir Banquet...May 12...
...Jay Pulliam...Spirit Award
...Penny Clapp...Most Improved Singer
...Carol Stover...Most Outstanding Senior

Above: Mrs. Murchie, choir director, expresses her enthusiasm as she announces the next song on the program. Upper right: The 1975-76 Madrigals consist of Marsha Shaw, Dale Hopkins, Kim Zsoter, Fred Garcia, Carol Parfitt, Charley Seeley, Lucia Clawson, Wendy Seeley, Sandie Kaufman, and pianist Kitty Bryce. Missing is Doug Oberst. Center right: Doug Oberst and Fred Garcia relax before one of their performances. Right: "Speak Up", a hilarious Madrigal opera is performed by the Madrigal at the Pops Concert.

Opposite page, top: Members of the Senior Choir enjoy singing at the Christmas Concert. Lower left: Jay Pulliam reads a poem at the Pops Concert while Jerry Green accompanies her on the guitar. Lower right: Wendy Seeley and Carol Parfitt express themselves while singing a duet.

'Happiness Is...A Song In Your Heart'

They Brought Smiles to the Audience

Drama Club...
- ...advisor... Dianne Young
- ...children's play... PINOCCHIO
- ...three one-act plays...
  - ...DARK EYES
  - ...TWO BOTTLES OF RELISH
  - ...FRENCH TOAST
- ...publicity... stage crew... make-up
- ...Shakespearean Festival...
  - ...Stratford, Ontario
- ...dedicated members... Thespian group

Above: 1975-76 Drama Club members. Center right: Mrs. Young discusses a scene with cast members of the children's play. Lower right: Charlie Seeley, Karen McCallum, and Dale Hopkins work backstage to prepare the set. Below: Student director Mary Fleming designs publicity posters for advertising the three one-act plays.

Huskie Highlights Keeps Students Informed

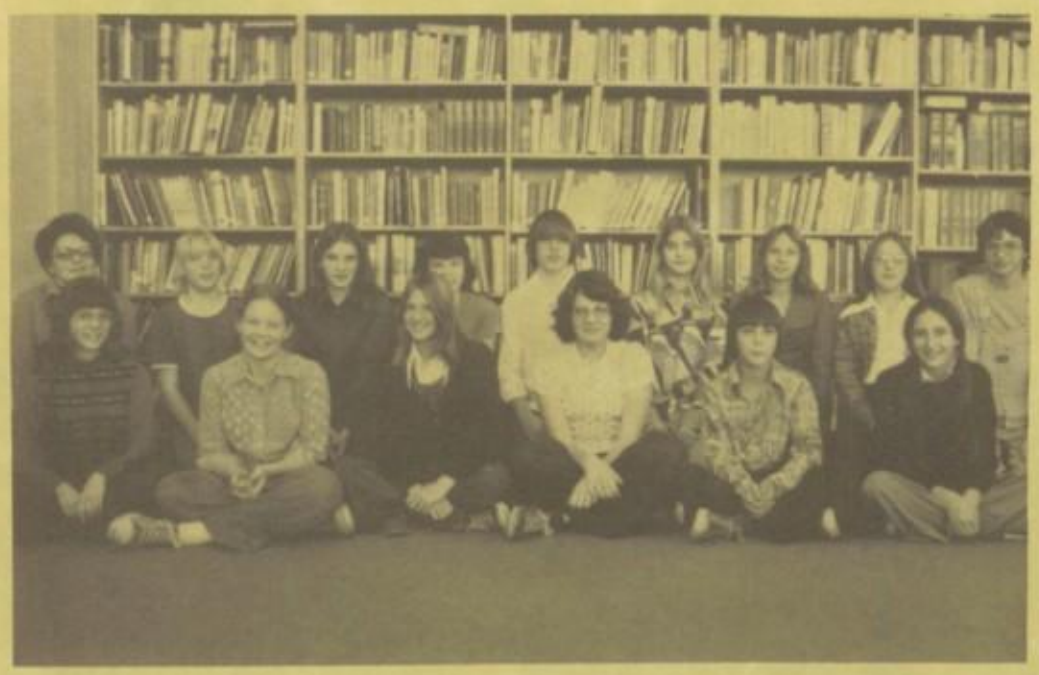
"Huskie Highlights"... provides a school record...
... of people... events... dates
... news... features... want-ads...
... Voice Your Opinion
... bi-weekly deadlines...
... write... edit... type...
... paste-up... print
... a journalistic venture... student product
... Editor... Jill Gronda
... Advisor... Marilyn McClintic

Upper left: Feature Editor Jay Pulliam, Herald Correspondent Linda Giles, and Editor Jill Gronda listen to suggestions from the staff. Left: Dave Coyle, Greg Estrada, and Fred Garcia type up last minute copy for the "Huskie Highlights". Below: 1975-76 Huskie Highlights Staff--Front row: Lisa Gallihugh, Becky Hooker, Orfelina Martinez, Barb Wale, Advisor Marilyn McClintic. Second row: Deb Shaver, Becky Bigford, Penny Howd, Linda Giles, Jill Gronda, Ronnie Rohde, Gary Schlonegar. Third row: Randy Myers, Bob Burt, Doug Londry, Linda Graham, Scott Gaines, Ken House, Darrell Cline, Fred Lange, Gary Brennan, Jay Pulliam, Greg Estrada, Matt Heinen. Back row: Fred Garcia, Colleen Wertz, Kim Kleinhans, Dave Coyle, Don Dean, Sheila Ward, Kirk Smith.

B.H.S. Student Government...Born Leaders

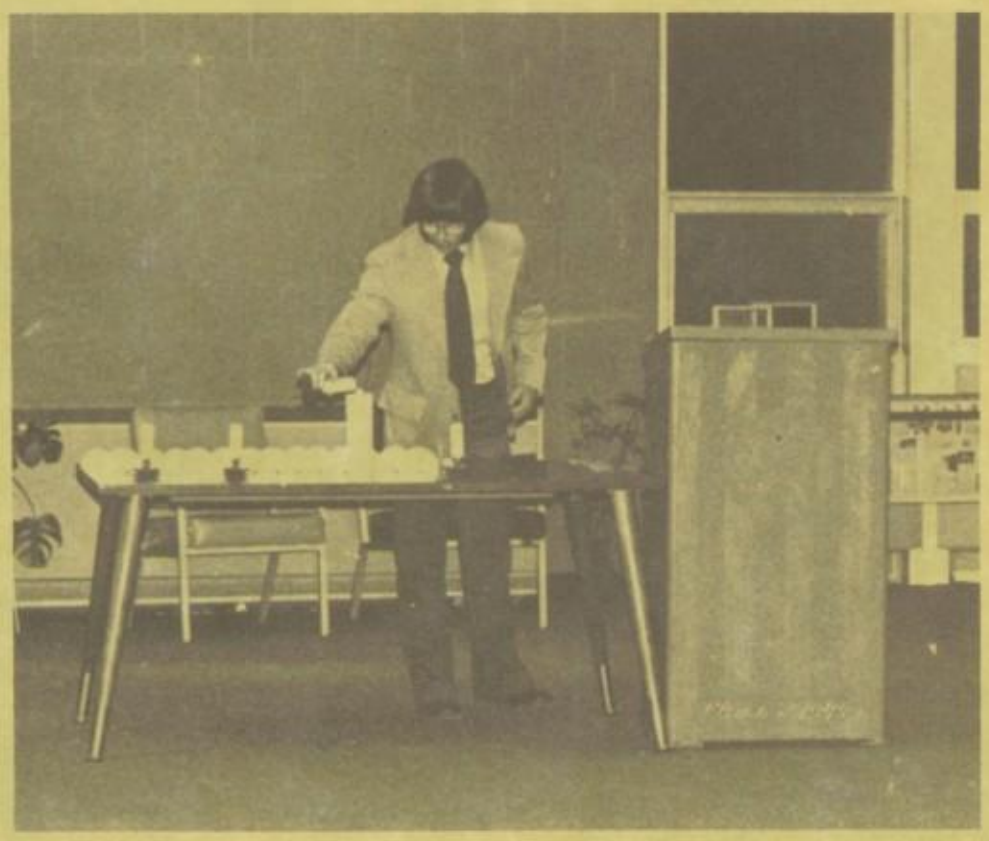
Senior High Student Council...
- ...contributed to BHS leadership
- ...organized student activities
- ...exchanged ideas with other schools
- ...revised the constitution
- ...offered student voice at School Board meetings
- ...purchased new curtains for graduation stage...
  - ...aluminum letters... "HOME OF THE HUSKIES"
  - ...Huskie head for gym wall

Junior High Student Council...
- ...sponsored dances... activity night...
  - ...roller skating party
- ...participated in student exchange days



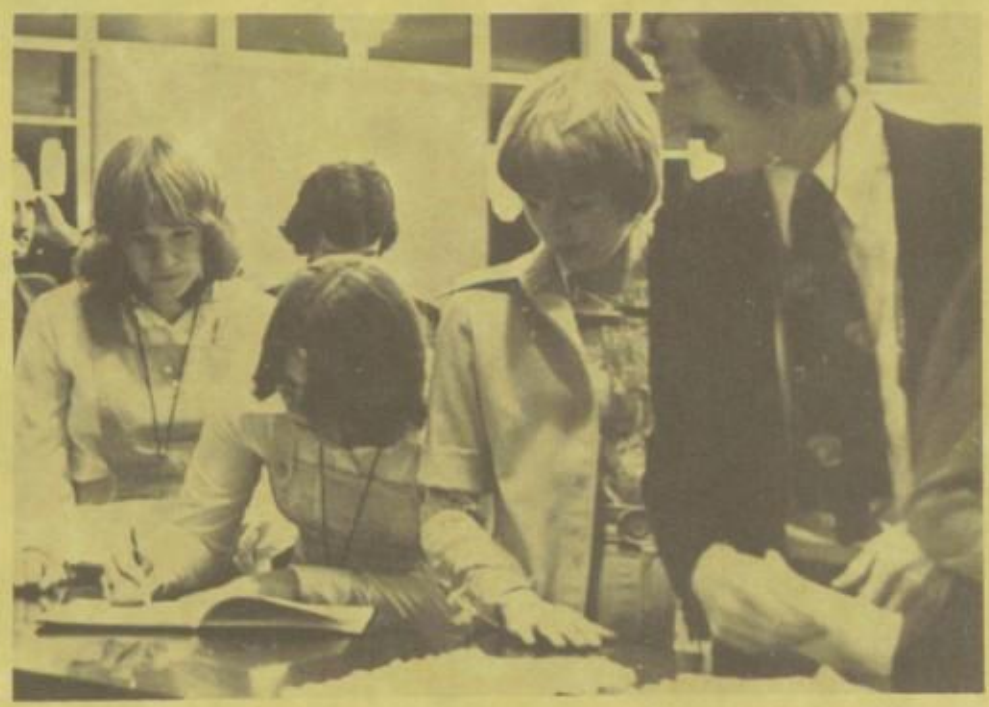
Above: Senior High Student Council--Front row: Angie Carter, Lynda Shankel, Dan Carter, Jane Williams, Jean Heinen. Second row: Dwight Huntoon, Leann Posey, Lisa McCrory, Publicity Manager Kim Burtch, Treasurer Laura Williams, Mary Fleming, Linda Giles, Ken Krueger. Back row: Martha McClintic, Mike Federspiel, Jeannette Varner, Mark Clark, Vice President Sue Garcia, President Judy Myers, Secretary Lorri Shankel, Steff Hite, Rosie Riggie, Steve Poindexter. Upper right: Junior High Student Council--Front row: Publicity Chairman Sara Beers, Vice President Karen Heinen, President Renae Long, Secretary Elaine Jenkins, Treasurer Scott Bushre, Donnine Spaulding. Back row: Advisor Sue vanPage, Tim Neal, Sari Smith, DeeAnn Cross, Scott Guthrie, DeeAnn Huntoon, Bridgette Rohde, Lori Juhas, John Stoneman. Center right: Jr. High Student Council members chuckle over the events of their activity night. Right: Sue Garcia and Mary Fleming listen intently as Judy Myers expresses student opinion at a school board meeting.

N.H.S. Exhibits Leadership and Character



National Honor Society...
- ...selective qualifications
- ...officers elected...
  - ...President...Tom Bayes
  - ...Vice-president...Jane Kennedy
  - ...Secretary...Pam Saunders
  - ...Treasurer...Kim Burtch
- ...induction ceremony...December 10
- ...14 new members added
- ...outstanding qualities a key to future success

Left: President Tom Bayes lights the candle of leadership. Center left: Signing the membership book is a tradition of induction ceremonies. Bottom: 1975-76 National Honor Society--Front row: Marcy Dunn, Jane Kennedy, Jan Hoard, Tom Bayes, Carol Parfitt, Nadeen Huntoon, Mary Fleming. Second row: Judy Myers, Laura Williams, Rosie Riggie, Kim Burtch, Deb Stoneman, Sheila Ward, Pam Saunders. Back row: Advisor Lynn Kirby, Mark Clark, Lorri Shankel, Doug Hoard, Steve Poindexter, Doug Oberst, Rhonda Beals, Advisor Louise Bender. Below: New members participate in the candle-lighting ceremony.

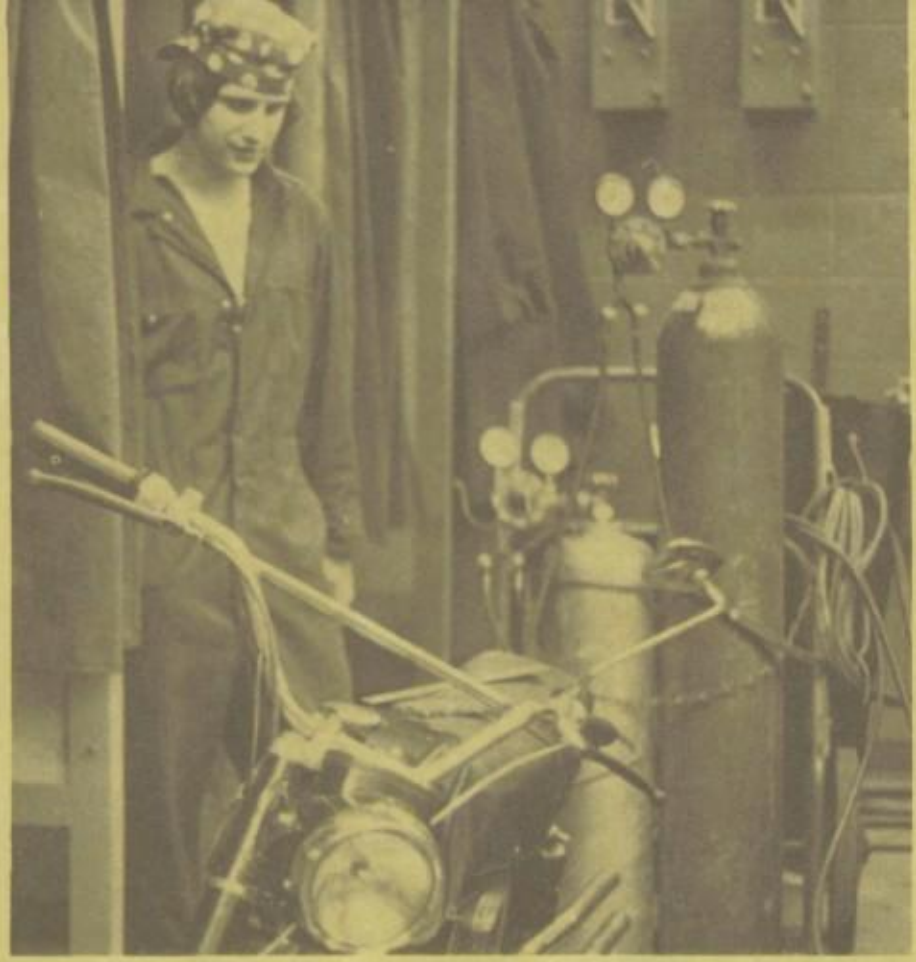


El Club de Espanol

Proyecta Nueva Ideas --

Spanish Club... Aprendemos de sociedad de otros...
... mutual study... Spanish customs
... field trip to play... MAN OF LA MANCHA
... fiesta... tacos... tostados... tortillas...
... refried beans... licuado
... advisor... Diane Colbry

Right: Dorene Schick, Jane Williams, and Jean Heinen prepare tacos for the Spanish Dinner. Below: 1975-76 Spanish Club members and their advisor Diane Colbry. Lower left: Spanish Club member Sue Fisher rolls out tortilla dough. Lower right: Mrs. Colbry enjoys preparing food for the Spanish Dinner.



I.E.C. Serves As "Insight into Industry"

Industrial Education Club...

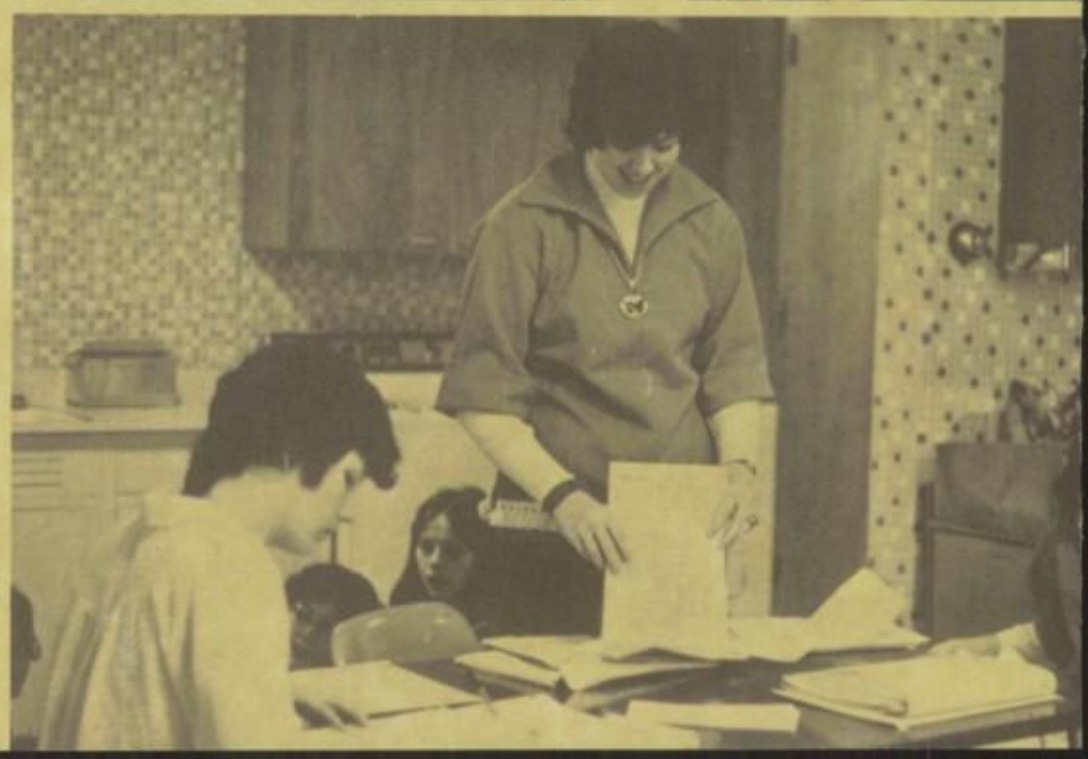
...work nights... special projects... self-expression
...field trips... Whitman Industries... Alma Products
...President... Ken Neitzke
...Vice President... Larry Oster
...Advisor... Joel Colbry

Upper left: Roger White stands back to admire the repair job he did on a motorcycle. Center left: Dennis Ostrander and Larry Oster use acquired skill and concentration to construct a stereo cabinet. Below: Eldon Burkett and Rich Champine tune up an engine at an Industrial Ed. worknight. Bottom: Industrial Education Club members and their advisor Joel Colbry.

FHA's Goal...
A Better Tomorrow

Future Homemakers of America...
- ...new advisor...Carolyn Dunn
- ...sold Homecoming mums
- ...hosted coffee hour after basketball Parent's Night
- ...striving for a better tomorrow

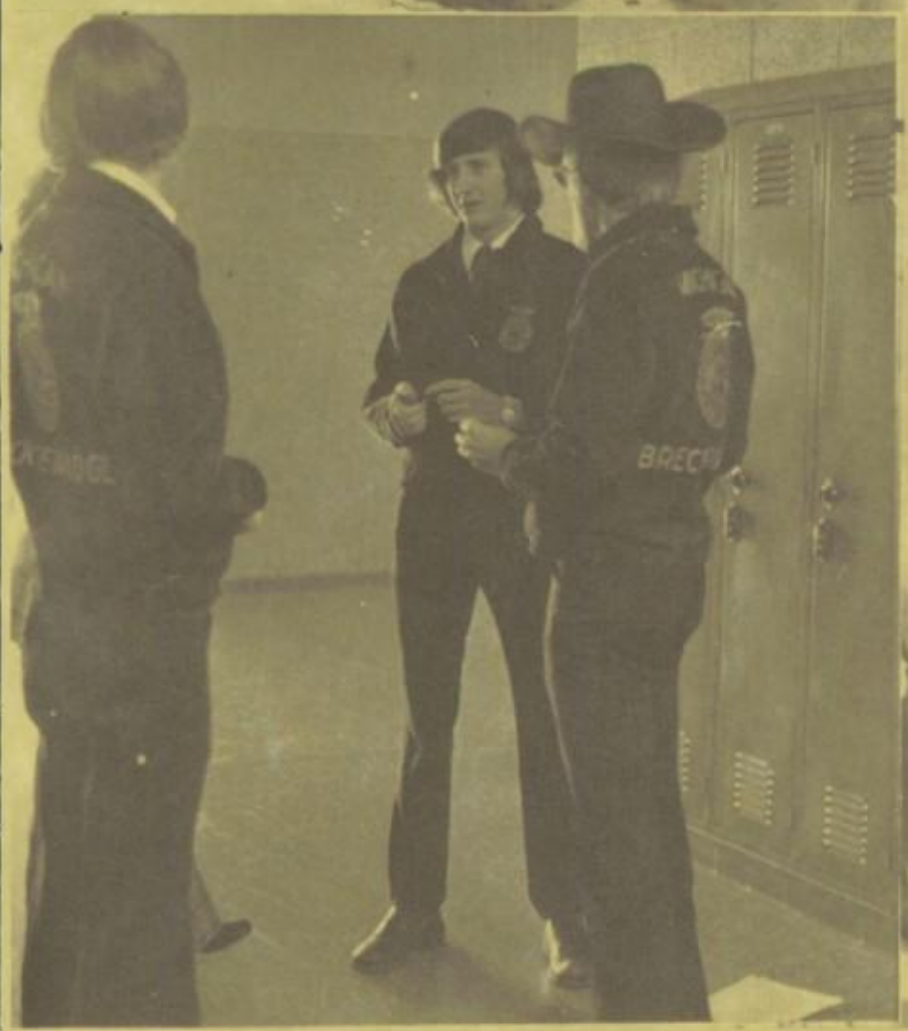
Top: The 1975-76 FHA Chapter was made up of both Jr. High and Sr. High students. Below: Secretary Julie Dunn and advisor Carolyn Dunn listen to ideas from the members. Right: A group of FHA'ers discuss their next activity. Lower right: President Chris Myers and Vice President Cathy Way talk over some last minute business before starting the meeting.



A Future for America---
FFA

Future Farmers of America...
- ...Van Varner...new advisor
- ...Land Lab...Chicken Broiler Contest
- ...Parliamentary Procedure Team...
  - ...second in county
- ...Ag Forum...advanced to State
- ...money projects...fruit sale...
  - ...seed sale

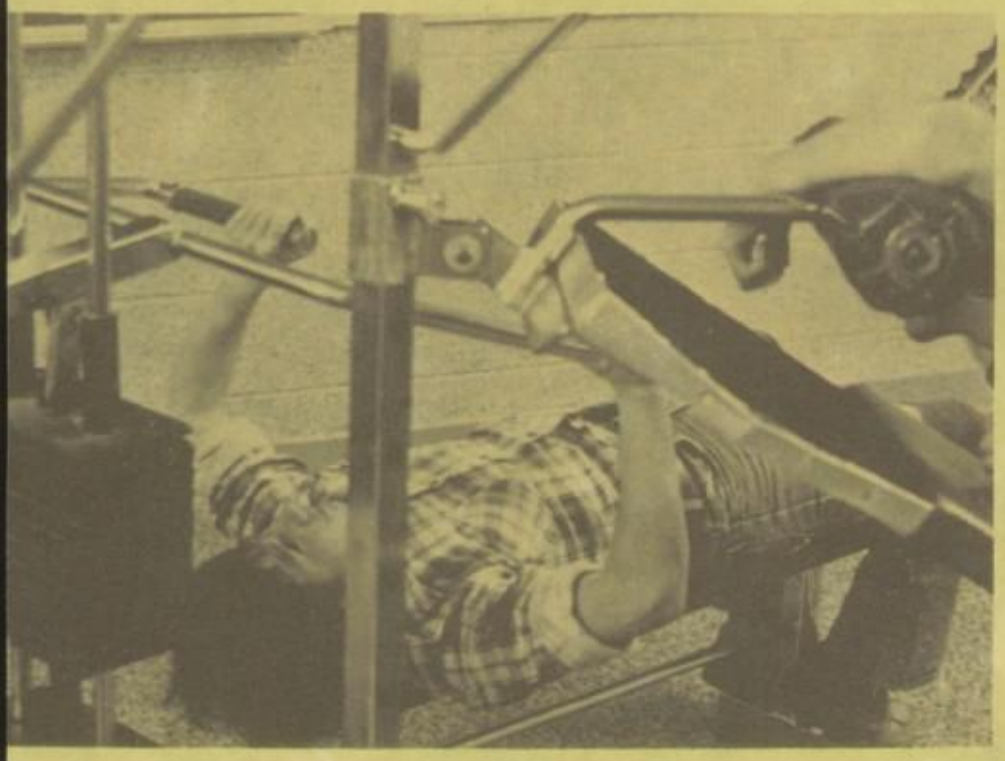
Upper left: Dave Gulick and Mike Fisher help clean out the chicken coop. Left: Vice President Steve Poindexter and Sentinel Ken Neitzke discuss plans for the next meeting. Above: President Neil Jenkins, Paul Varner, and Advisor Van Varner prepare the FFA poster. Below: The 1975-75 FFA Chapter.

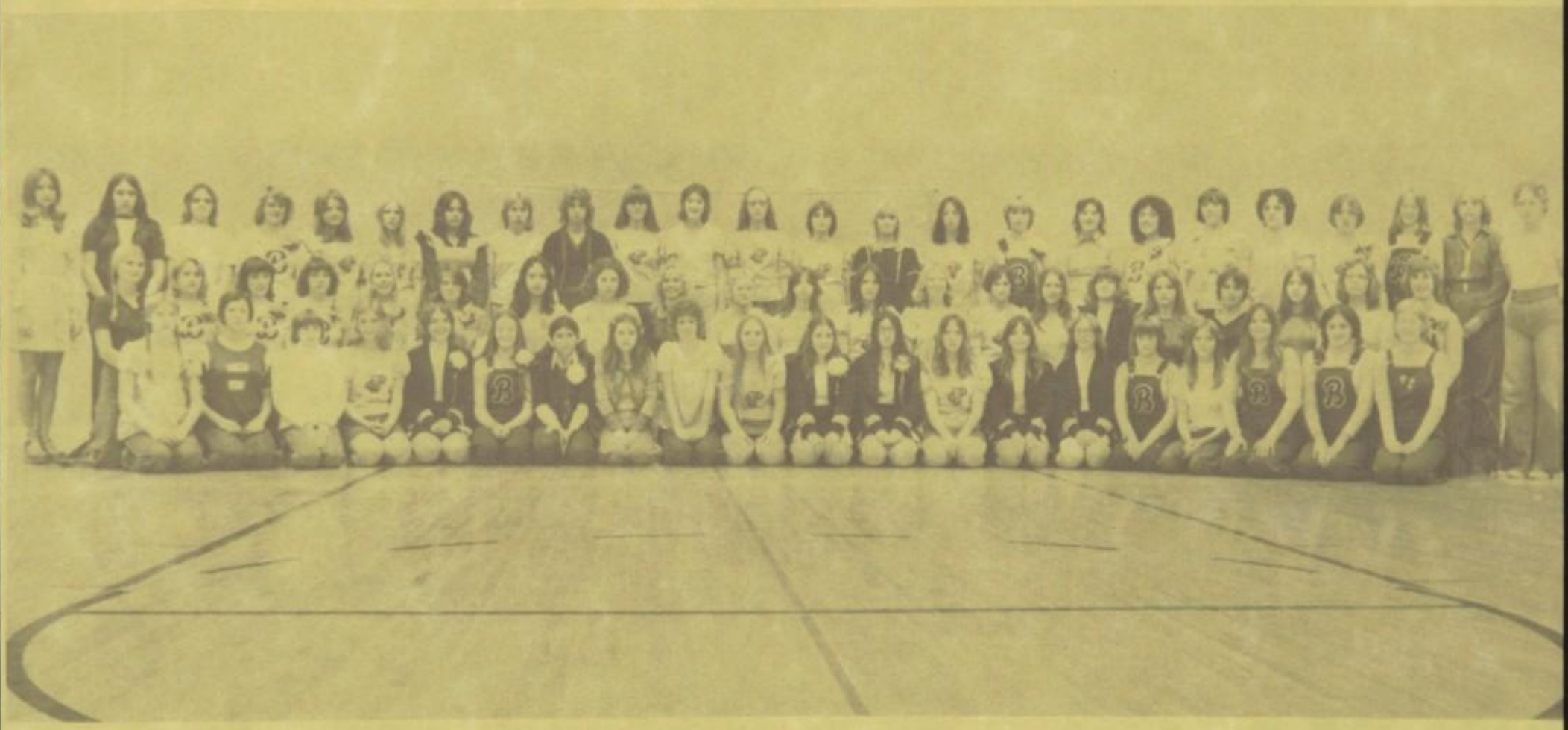


Lettermen Organize to Better Athletics

Varsity Club...
- ... lettermen... recognized athletes
- ... new advisor... Rudy Godefroidt
- ... candy sales... money making projects...
  - ... final pay-off on weight machine

Below: Pat Mizer demonstrates his muscular ability on the weight machine. Upper right: Bill Sweany makes a candy sale to Keith Stoneman. Center right: Advisor Rudy Godefroidt and President Steve Poindexter discuss the club's next project. Bottom: The 1975-76 Varsity Club.





'Thank God I'm a Country Girl'

Pep Club...
- ...promoted spirit...
  - ...signs...decorations...skits
- ...Homecoming float..."Most Original"
- ...65 active members
- ...advisor...Janice Pavlik

Top: Members of the 1975-76 Pep Club with their advisor Janice Pavlik. Left: Angie Carter listens closely as Laura Williams tells of animal talk in a barnyard skit. Below: The Pep Club's float "Thank God I'm a Country Girl" won "Most Original" in the Homceoming parade.

'We Proudly Present ... The Pom-Pon Girls'

Top: 1975-76 Pom-Pon Squad--Front row: Lezlie Zeitler, Lorri Shankel, Shawn Spaulding, Sandy Mecomber. Second row: Terri Johnston, Lisa Wagoner, Mel Weaver, Deb Millikan, Janis Hoard. Back row: Penny Clapp, Lisa McCrory, Jean Heinen, Sandy House, Amy McCallum, Barb Sumner. Missing from the picture is Linda Graham. Above: The Pom-Pon girls always used a variety of different formations. Right: Terri Johnston concentrates on the next step during a routine. Opposite page, upper left: Lisa McCrory's smile helps brighten up the routine. Center left: Pom-Pon advisor Diana Needham, also scorekeeper at many of the games, had numerous responsibilities throughout the year. Right: A real crowd-pleaser was the use of flashlight routines. Bottom: The Pom-Pon girls end their last routine of the year.

Pom-Pon...

...advisor... Diana Needham

...co-captains... Shawn Spaulding...

...Lorri Shankel

...16 dedicated girls

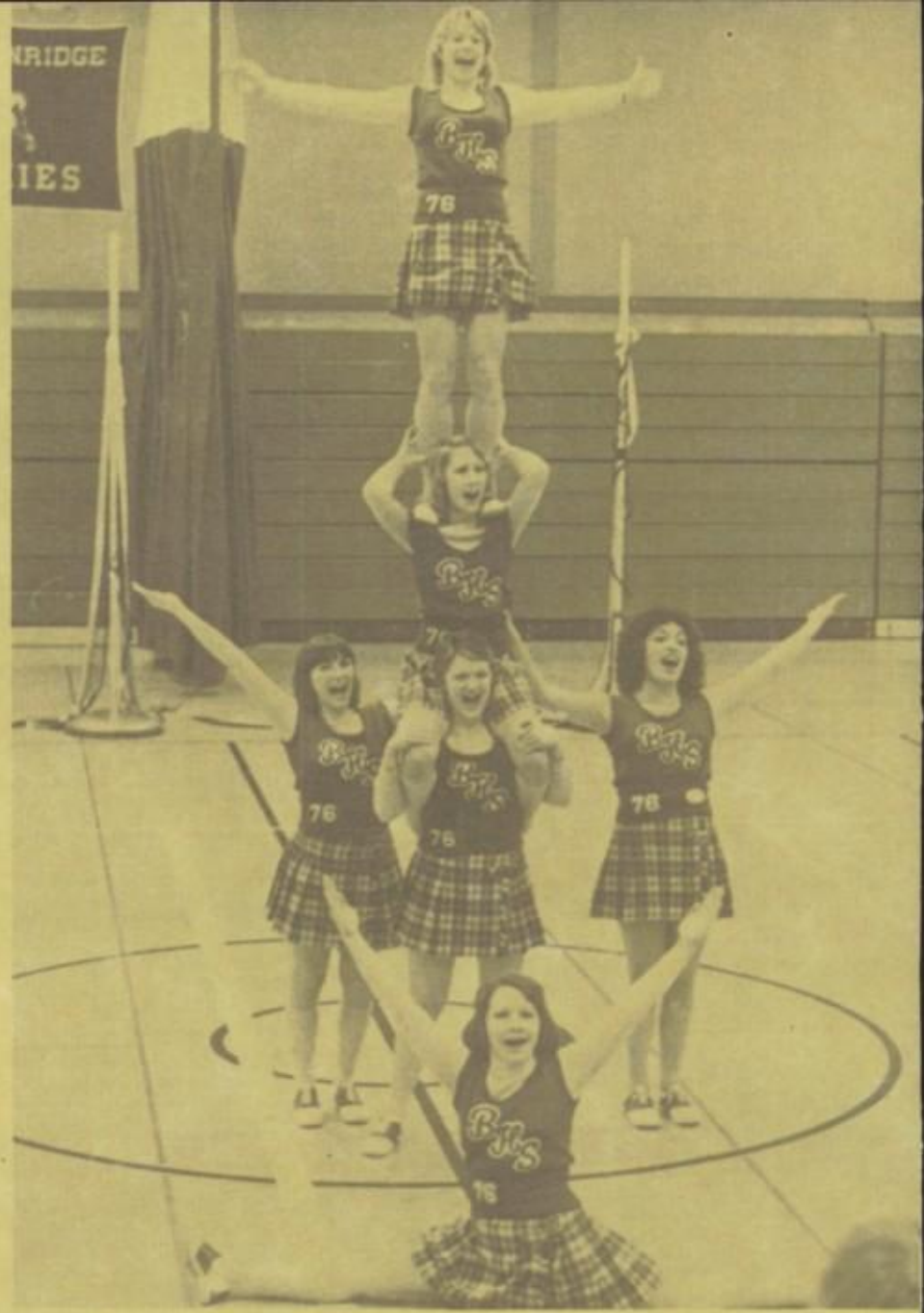
...practice... "Get it together!"

...new uniforms

...Christmas elves... "Dear Santa"

...flashlights... "Daisy Jane"... "Miracles"

...Seniors last performance... "Slow Ride"



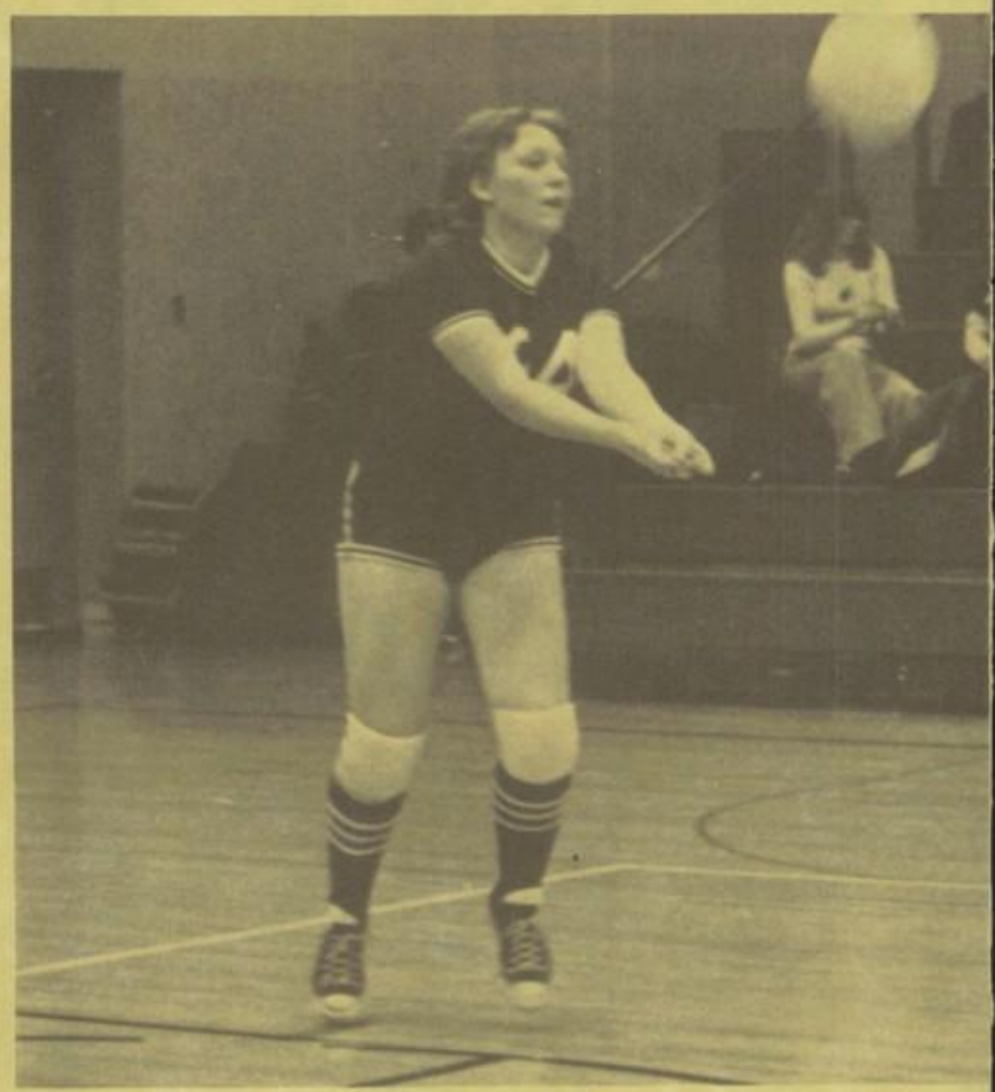
Upper left: Projecting spirit proves easy for the Varsity cheerleaders. Above: The JV's cheered their team on at football games. Upper right:. Stacking up for a victory are Varsity cheerleaders Kim Burtch, Rosie Riggie, Steff Hite, Laura Williams, Rose Anguiano, and Bonnie Mizer. Right: Contributing spirit creates happiness for Freshman cheerleaders Kelli Secord, Karen Krueger, Sally Battley, Kelli Hendricks, Deb Brown, and Karen Zsoter.

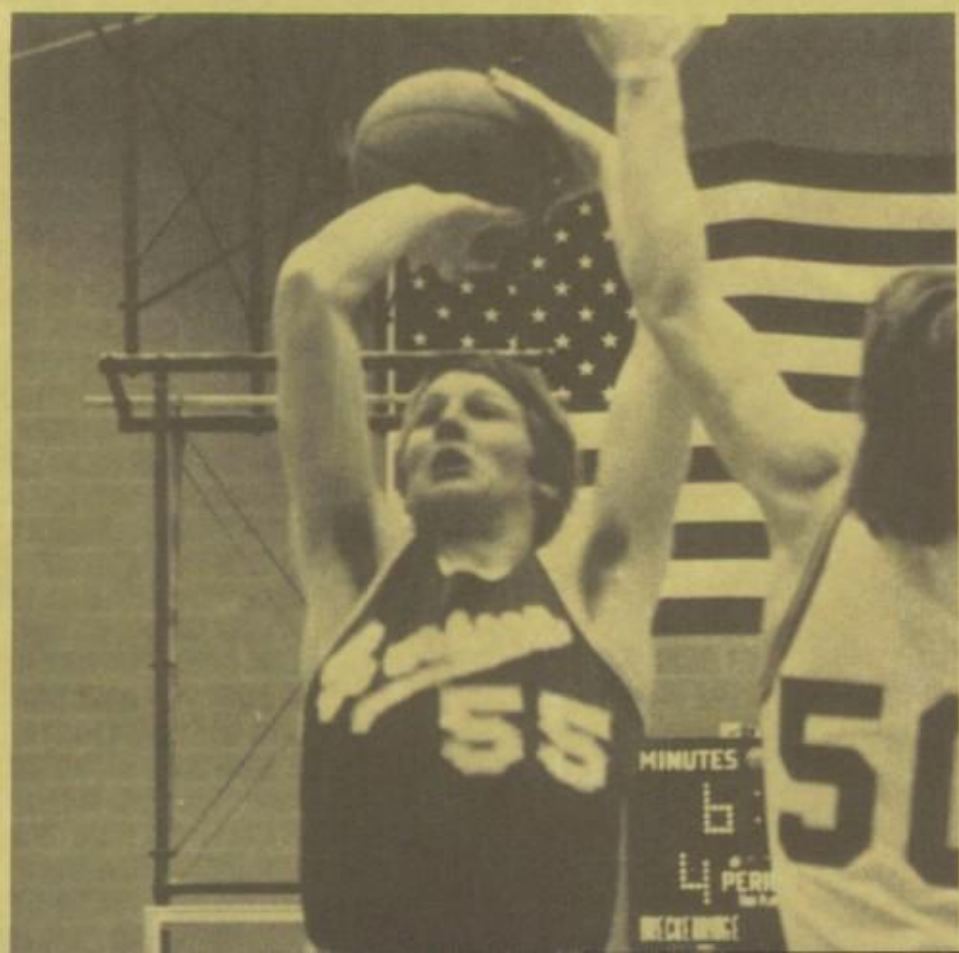
Opposite page, upper left: JV cheerleaders Jane Williams, Karen Northrup, Lynda Shankel, Sue Garcia, Carolyn Clingenpeel, and Linda Giles. Center left: A sideline cheer by the Freshman cheerleaders boosts crowd spirit. Lower left: Junior High cheerleaders say "Let's win!" Center right: Junior High cheerleaders Renae Long, Lezlie Miller, Corina Briggs, Carrie Sawvel, alternate Deb Sanchez, Kellie Smythe, and Kim Bush. Lower right: Alternate Varsity cheerleader Ann Schutt kept the spirit rolling at pep assemblies.

Cheerleader Activities Promote Huskie Spirit

1976 Cheerleaders...
...proudly cheering
...displaying spirit
...clapping... jumping
...praying... hoping
...laughing... crying
...winning... losing
...advisors...
...Carolyn Dunn
...Diane Needham

Athletics

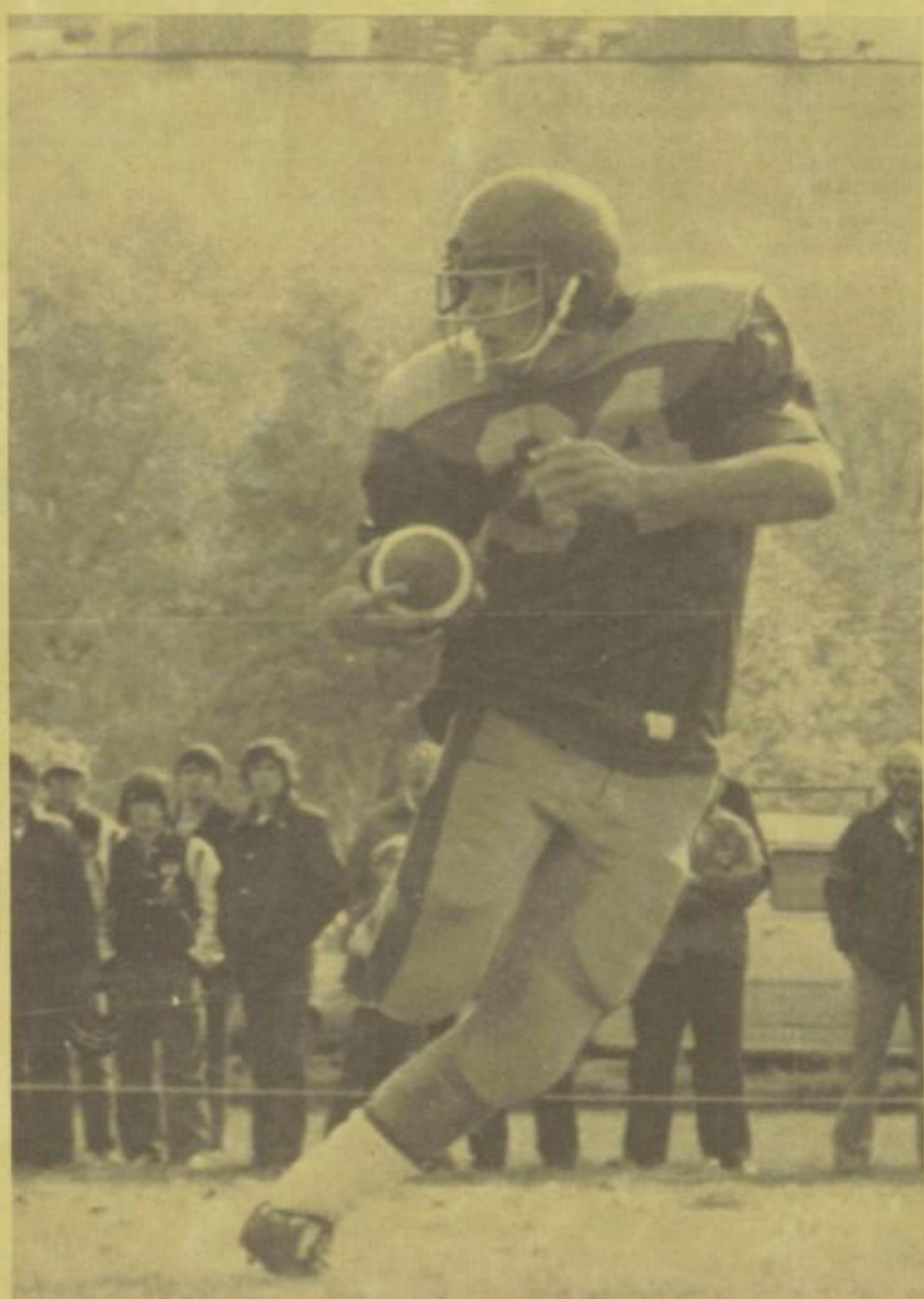


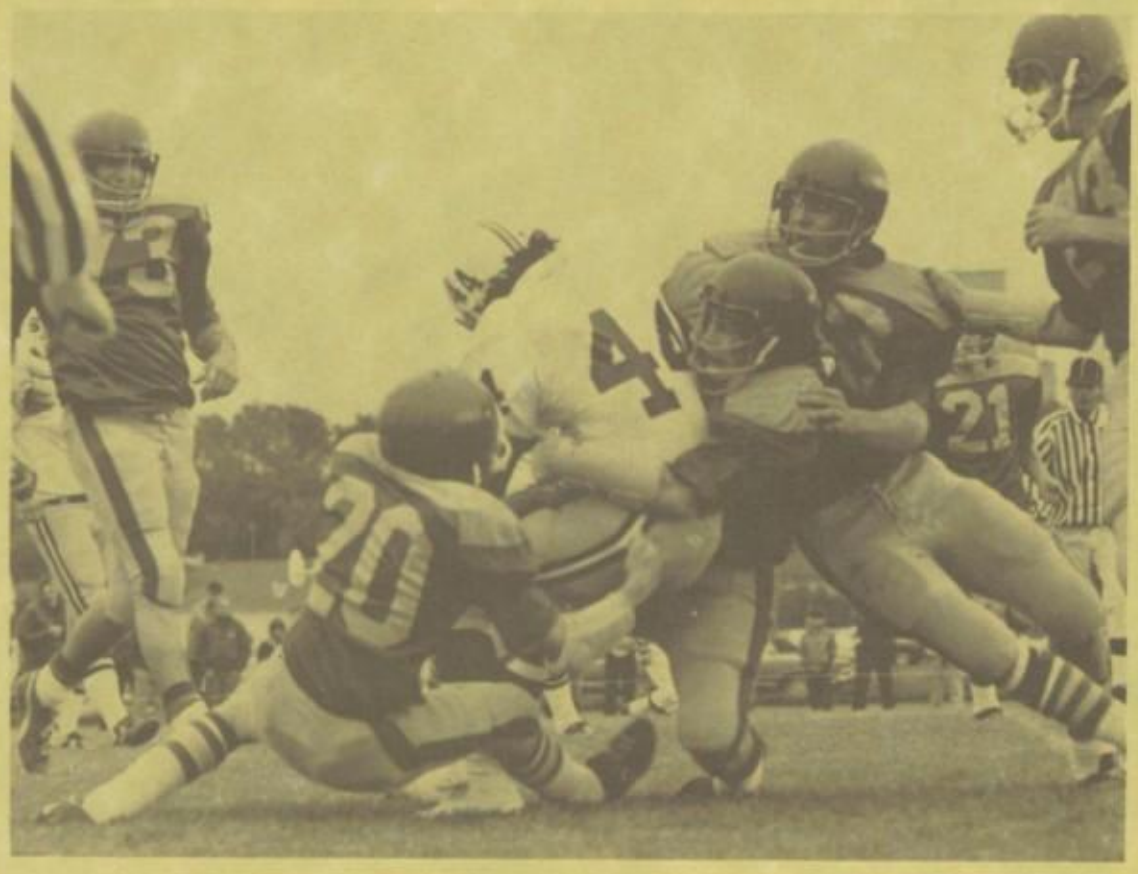


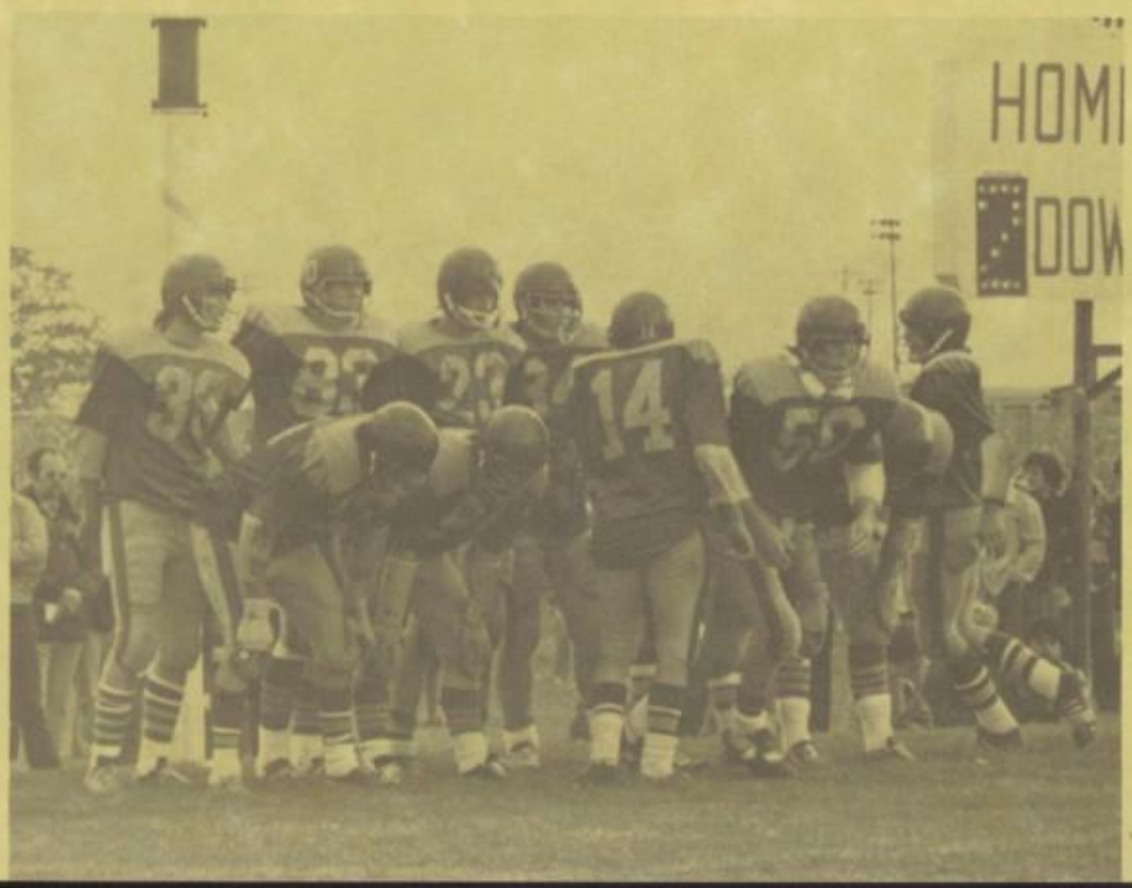
Team Unity Sparks Huskies to Winning Year

Varsity Huskies... 1975...
- ... coaches... Jim Connell... Mike Doty
- ... outstanding year... 6-2-1
- ... Senior leadership...
  - ... four Seniors... all CML
- ... Bill Sweany... 1,600 yards... MVP...
  - ... first team All State
- ... tough Juniors
- ... Gary Edgecombe... returning All CML
- ... hours of practice... plays of perfection
- ... the future looks bright

OPPONENT		BHS
Saranac	8	16
Shepherd	12	27
Freeland	0	12
St. Charles	13	21
Seminary	13	0
Merrill	6	6
Ithaca	20	21
St. Louis	29	17
Newaygo	13	14



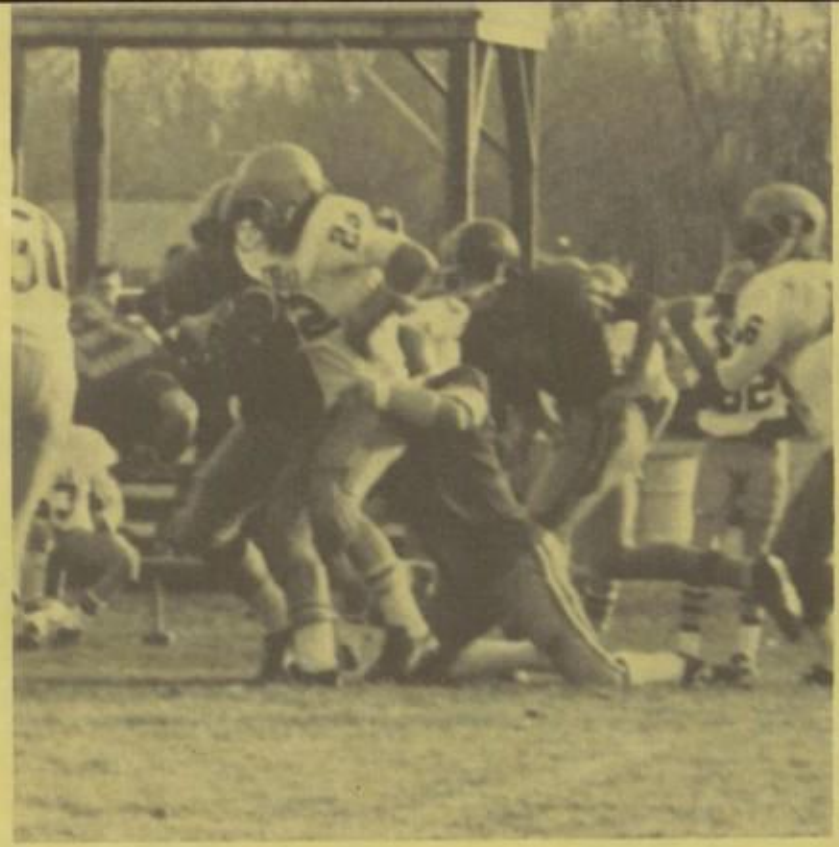




Opposite page, top: 1975 Varsity Football Team--Front row: Al Neal, Kevin Posey, Jerry Aldrich, Tom Bayes, Mike Bushre, Doug Londry, John Burt. Second row: Tom Tyrell, Scott Laurenz, Ken Krueger, Dave Giles, Bob Burt, Stuart Nagel, Bill Sweany, Pat Mizer. Back row: Assistant Coach Mike Doty, Mike Federspiel, Kevin McCaw, Gary Rose, Rich Champine, Marc Huntoon, Gary Edgecombe, Steve Poindexter, Head Coach Jim Connell. Missing from picture is Mark Clark. Bottom right: Bill Sweany carries for one of his many long gains.

Upper left: Mark Clark makes a leaping catch in the Huskie scoring drive. Center left: Breckenridge defense crushes the opposing ball carrier. Left: The Huskies huddle up for the oncoming play. Upper right: Steve Poindexter and Doug Londry make a key block to spring Bill Sweany to another touchdown. Above: Quarterback Al Neal scrambles around the end for a first down.

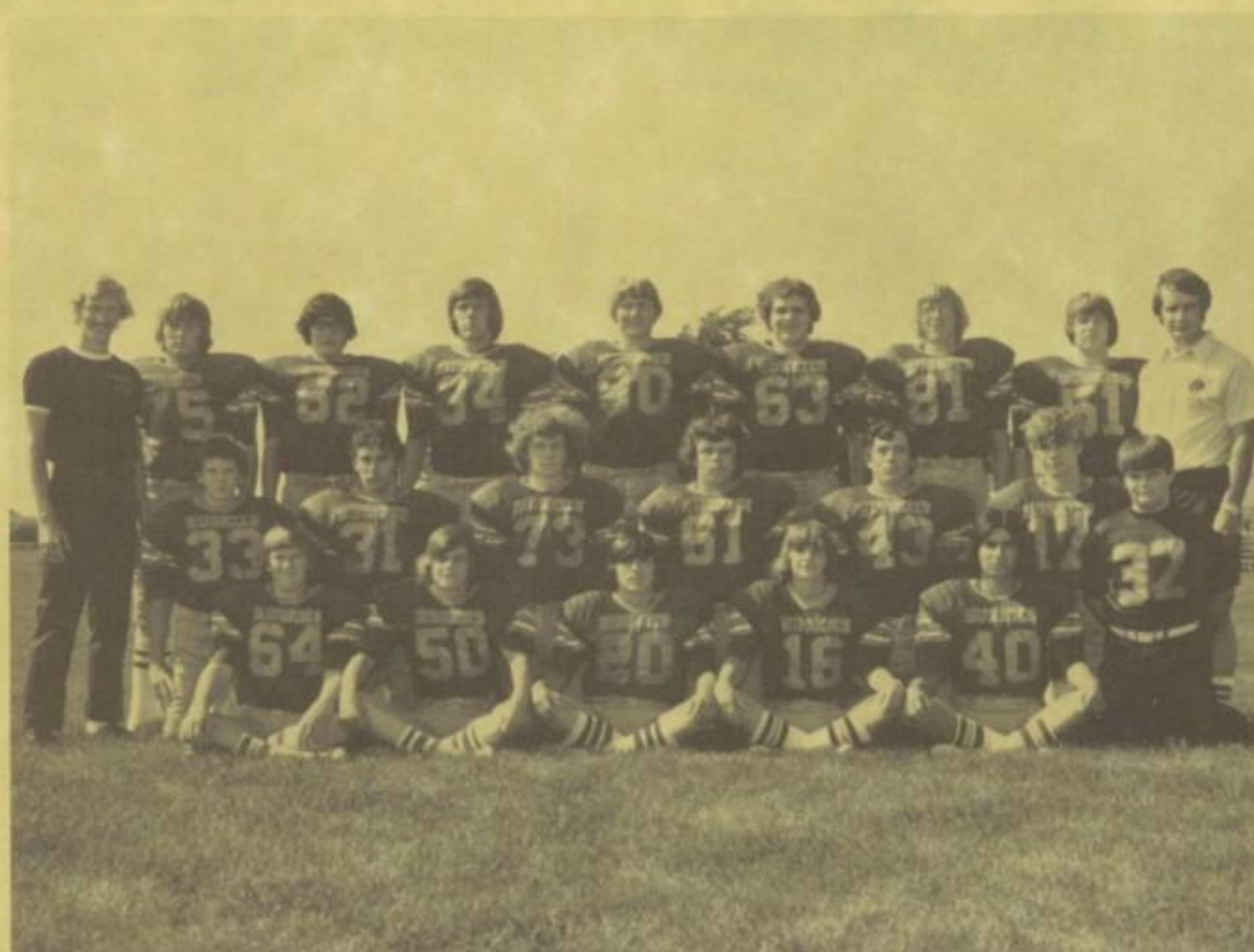
JV's Enjoy Success



Junior Varsity...

... pride... determination
... enjoyed success... 6-1 record
... three shut-outs... 22-0... 35-0... 51-0
... one defeat... close game... 6-8
... 1,378 yards rushing... Dan Carter
... captain... Larry Moe
... outstanding coaches... Joel Colbry... Dan Redes
... Huskies generated 236 points... opposition-30
... ready for Varsity!

Above: Dan Carter hammers the middle of the Ithaca line to add yardage to his 1,378 yard season total. Upper right: The Huskies gang tackle an Ithaca runner. Center right: Tim Giles romps toward the endzone for six of his 85 points for the season. Right: 1975 Junior Varsity Football Team--Front row: Richard Long, Pat Burt, Mark Rohde, Greg Huntoon, Rick Ramirez, Manager Bobby Clingenpeel. Second row: Assistant Coach Dan Redes, Jim Lewis, Brian Miller, Lynn Phillips, Vince Smith, Don Gleesing, Pete Heinen, Head Coach Joel Colbry. Back row: Mike Wolfgang, Matt Bolt, Dan Carter, Tim Giles, Mark Greening, Dennis Ostrander, Larry Moe.



Frosh Gain Experience

Freshman Football...
- ... coaches... Don Clingenpeel...
  - ... Wayne Florida
- ... strived for perfection
- ... outstanding players... worked as a team
- ... leading ground gainer... Kim Maylee
- ... leading tackler... Leo Kennedy
- ... record... three wins... three losses
- ... a season of fundamentals and experience

Upper left: Mark Gallihugh tries to escape the grasp of an opposing player. Center left: Craig Dunn drives over the defenders for extra yardage as Jim Clark and Tom Gulick give him added protection. Left: 1975 Freshman Football Team -- Front row: Jim Clark, Tom Gulick, Greg Breidinger, Manager Mike Clingenpeel, Craig Folts, Dave Cline, Terry Garcia. Second row: Randy Nagel, Jeff Bartlett, Craig Dunn, Dennis Balgavy, Mike McKenzie, Charlie Seeley, Leo Kennedy. Back row: Coach Don Clingenpeel, Roger Riggie, Brad Wolfgang, Kim Maylee, Steve Spaulding, Ken Sugar, Kendall Coleman, Coach Wayne Florida. Above: Leading ground-gainer Kim Maylee looks for another large gain, with Leo Kennedy leading the way.

OPPONENT		BHS
Fulton	33	23
Seminary	38	19
Bullock Creek Invitational		4th place
Sacred Heart	50	15
Shepherd	31	25
Delta Invitational		10th place
Montabella	41	18
Ithaca	47	15
Shepherd Lions Invitational		4th place
Central Montcalm	31	25
Pewamo Westphalia	37	20
St. Charles	32	24
Merrill	32	23
Swan Valley	34	21
Merrill	31	24
St. Louis	24	31
Freeland	42	18
Regional		5th place
Conference		1st place

Co-Championship Highlights Harrier Season

Cross Country...

... new Head Coach... Rudy Godefroidt

... determination... dedication... team unity...

... keys to success

... outstanding season... 13 wins... one loss

... deadlocked for CML Title

... disappointed at Invitationals

... new school and course record...

... Dave Cronkite... 14:59

... Most Valuable Runners... State Qualifiers...

... Dave Cronkite... Kirk Smith

... young team... bright future

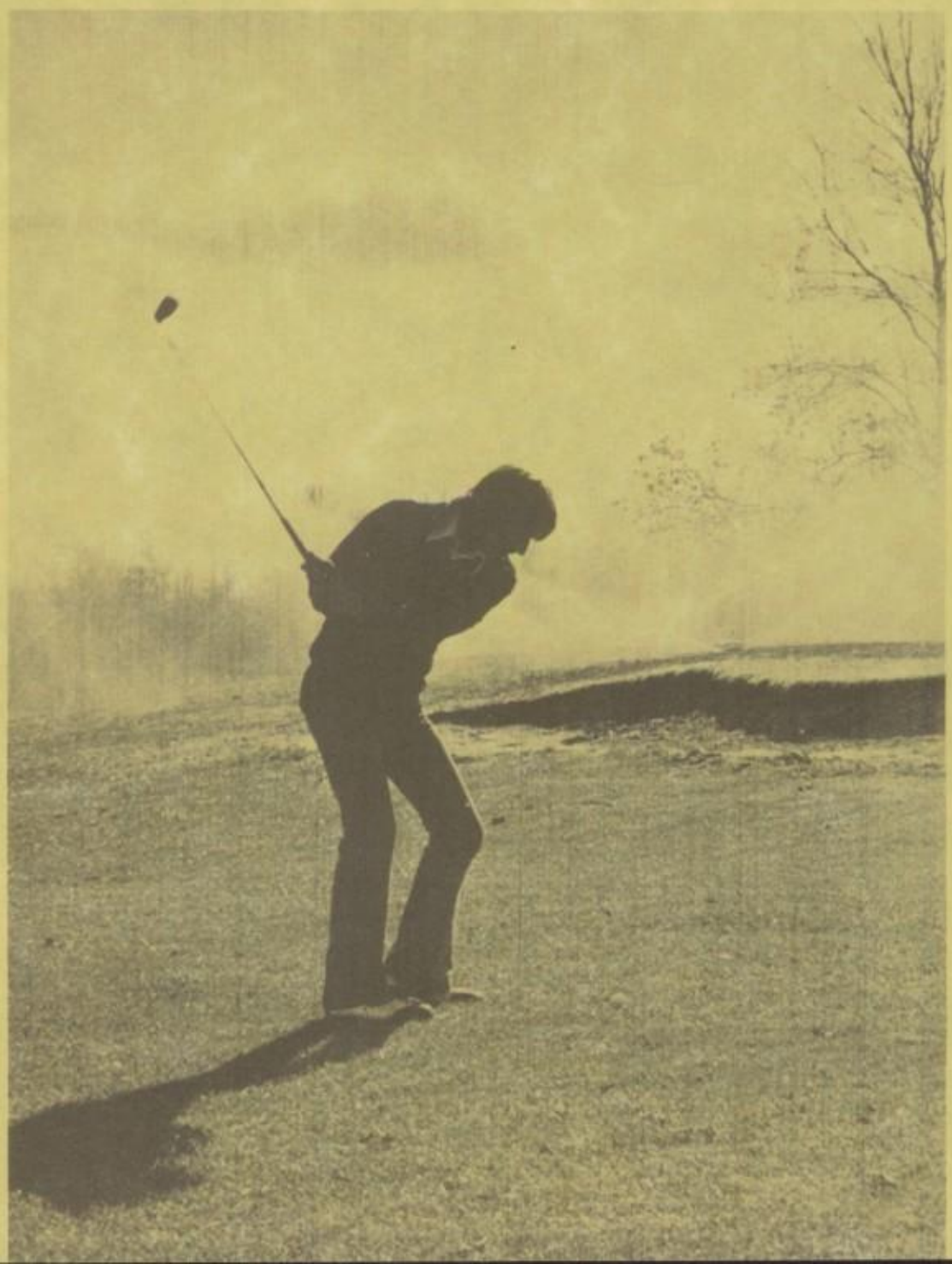
Opposite page, upper left: Runners stride for position at the sound of the gun. Lower left: Coach Rudy Godefroidt reflects pride and confidence in his team. Upper right: Senior Captain Doug Oberst finished the season strong by placing in both Regionals and Conference. Center right: Bruce Neal strives for perfection. Lower right: 1975 Cross Country Team--Front row: Kirk Smith, Scott Gaines, Bill Erskine, Doug Oberst, Eldon Burkett, Doug Hoard, Coach Rudy Godefroidt. Back row: Manager Mark Sterling, Mark Cronkite, Bruce Neal, Steve Clapp, Greg Estrada, Dave Cronkite, Manager Tim Neal.

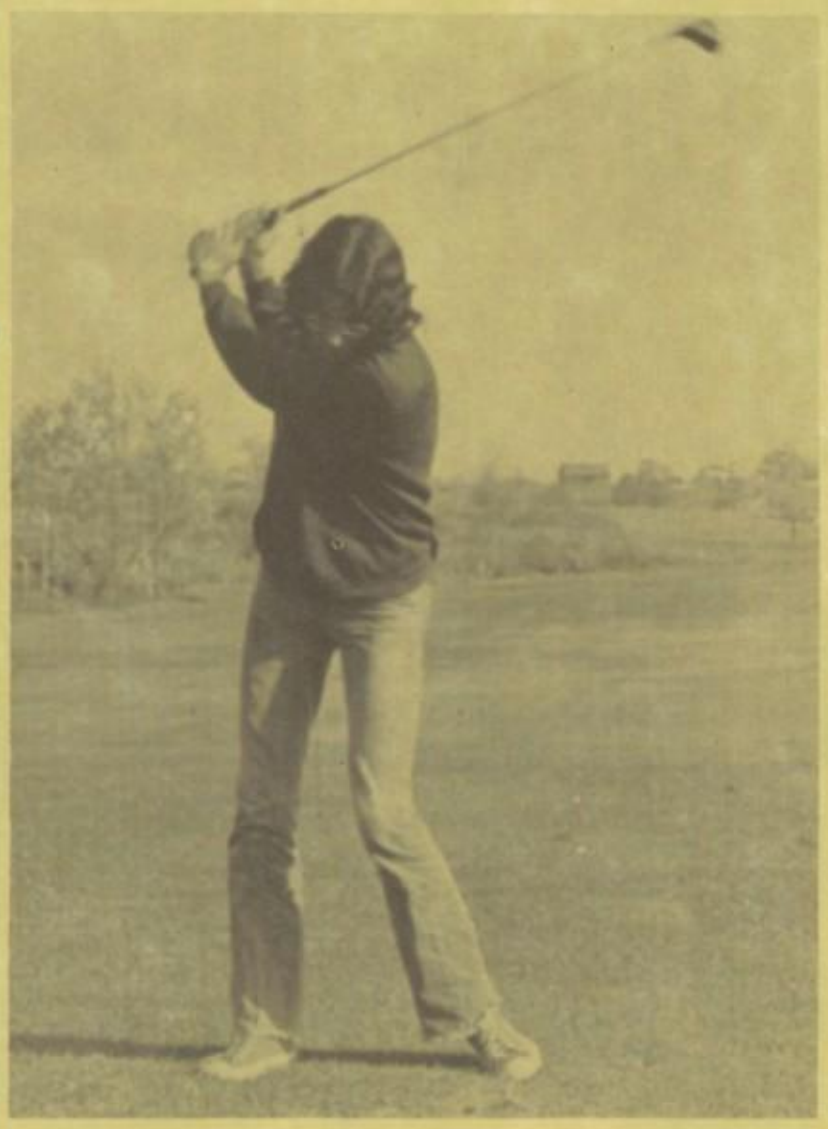
Upper left: Voted Co-MVP, Sophomore Dave Cronkite strains for his record time of 14:59. Left: Co-MVP Kirk Smith displays outstanding ability by placing 14th in the State Class C Meet. Above: Junior Scott Gaines stretches out in the last leg of the race.

Huskie Swingers Braved Tough Season

Varsity Golf...
- ... drive... chip... putt
- ... birdie... eagle... par
- ... Conference record...
  - ... two wins... 10 losses
- ... Regional... 19th place
- ... Conference... 6th place
- ... Most Valuable Player... Matt Heinen
- ... Coach... Keith Kushion

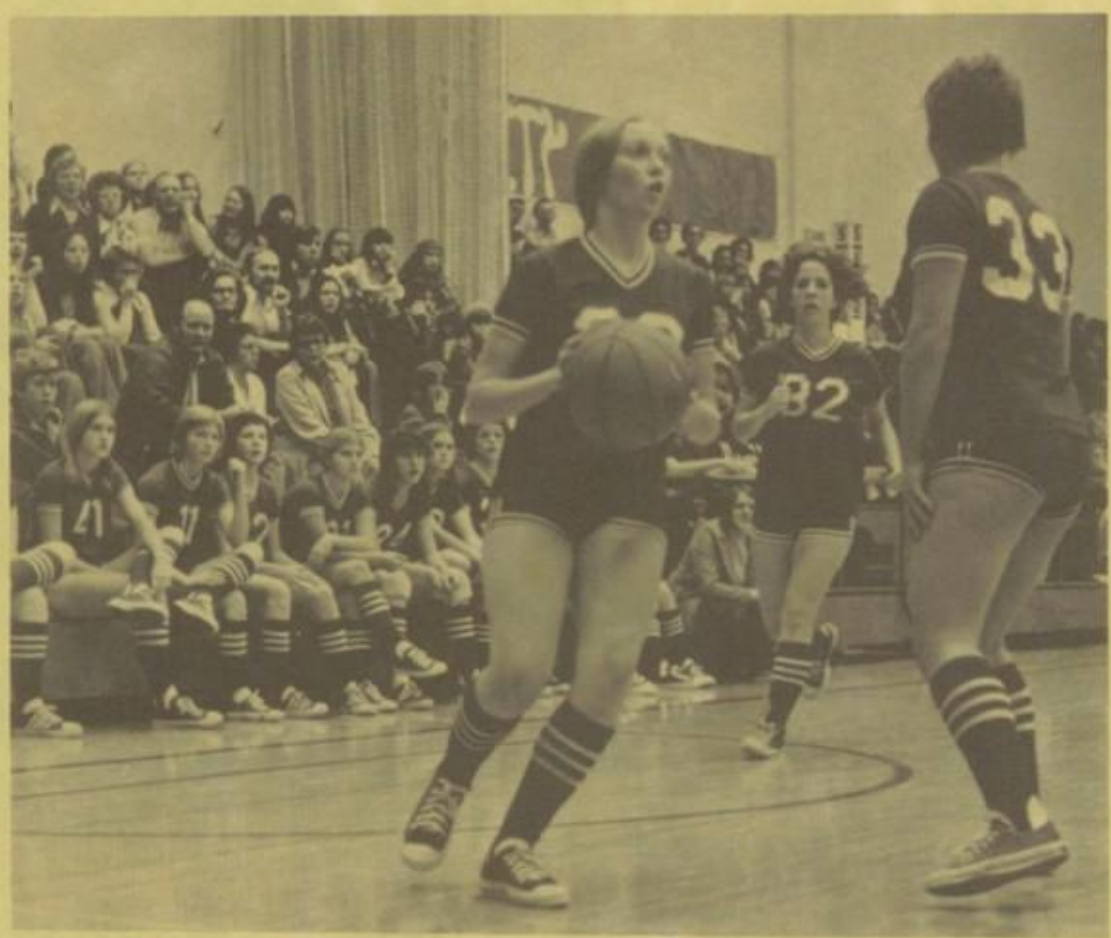
OPPONENT		BHS
Shepherd	168	197
Freeland	185	195
St. Charles	195	206
Merrill	238	193
Ithaca	163	205
St. Louis	168	195
Shepherd	170	211
Freeland	157	179
St. Charles	182	197
Merrill	238	197
Ithaca	161	185
St. Louis	163	175
League Meet		6th place
Regional Tournament		19th place

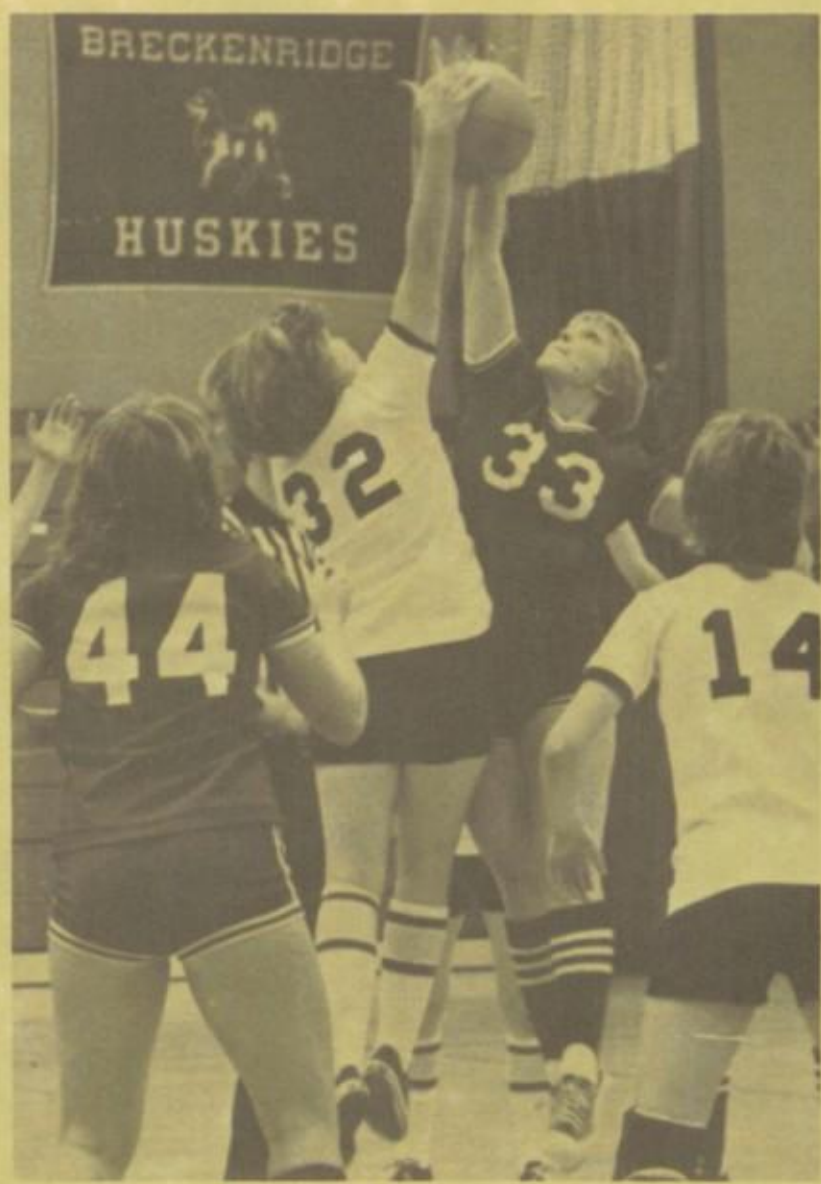




Opposite page, top: 1975 Varsity Golf Team--Kneeling: Rick Bailey, Max Capen, Kevin Dicken, Matt Heinen, Jim Gillis, Kevin Harrison, Bob Stebbins. Standing: Stuart Goodyear, Coach Keith Kushion, Craig Wright. Lower right: Matt Heinen chips onto the green.
Upper left: Kev Dicken shows good form as he tees off. Lower left: Kev Harrison demonstrates the art of driving. Upper right: Stu Goodyear putts in another one to make par. Above: Coach Kushion, Stu Goodyear, and Matt Heinen tally scores after a meet.

Girls Win Recognition and Support





Upper left: Pam Saunders takes advantage of a pick set by Jill Gronda to take a shot. Above: Jeannette Varner fights for the ball as Linda Muscott and Cathy Sandy wait for a rebound. Upper right: Jill Gronda attempts to tip the ball to her teammate Marcy Dunn. Right: Coach Sue Helman yells encouragement to her players from the bench.
Opposite page, upper left: During halftime the Varsity players take a rest while Coach Helman explains game strategy. Center left: Jane Kennedy breaks through the defense for an easy lay-up. Lower left: 1975 Varsity Basketball Team--Front row: Rhonda Beals, Manager Tammy Schutt, LuAnn Myers. Second row: Cathy Sandy, Jill Gronda, Marcy Dunn, Pam Saunders, Linda Muscott. Back row: Jane Kennedy, Jeannette Varner, Carol Parfitt. Right: Marcy Dunn takes a wide open shot from the lane to score two for the Huskies.

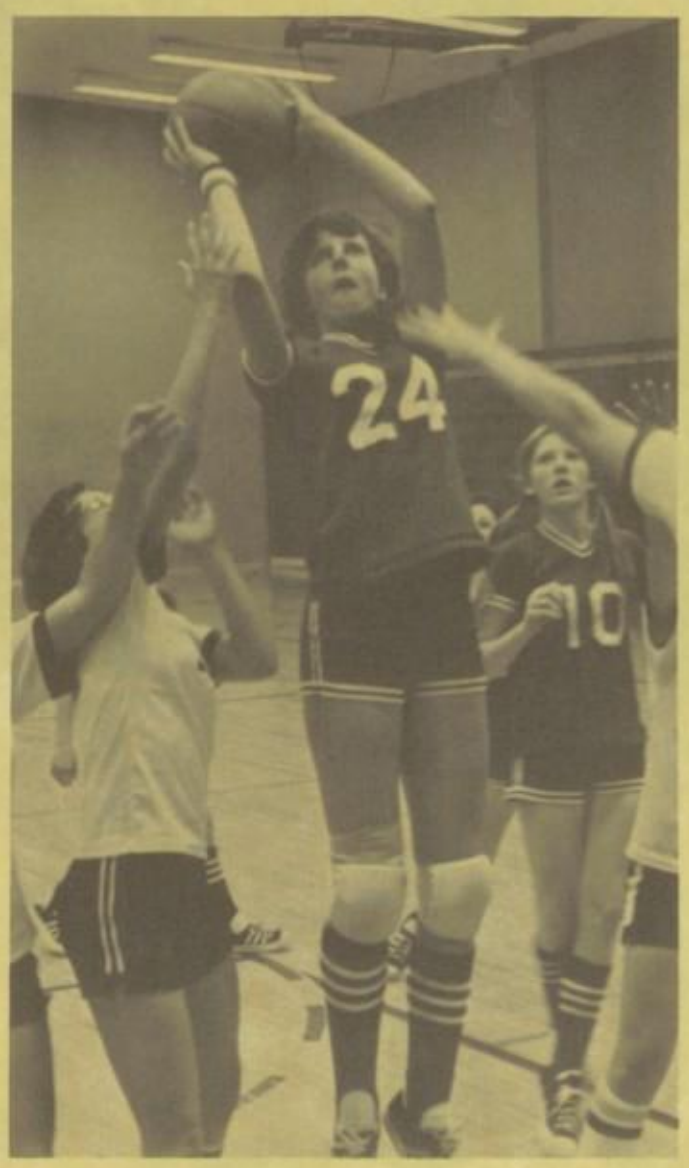
Girl's Varsity Basketball...

...Co-captains...Jill Gronda...Pam Saunders
...12 players...Coach Sue Helman
...Most Valuable Players...
...Jill Gronda...Jane Kennedy
...Most Improved...
...Pam Saunders...Marcy Dunn
...halftime...locker-room pep talks
...six wins...improved record
...strenuous practices...fired up
...lacked in height...
...compensated with aggression
...17 games...never gave up

OPPONENT		BHS
Seminary	52	26
Clare	25	37
Montabella	42	46
Shepherd	33	41
Montabella	30	42
Freeland	33	50
St. Charles	44	32
Merrill	56	27
Ithaca	49	30
St. Louis	48	43
Shepherd	46	30
Freeland	19	54
St. Charles	43	25
Seminary	70	33
Merrill	49	25
Ithaca	55	43
St. Louis	42	25
Ithaca	33	24

J.V.'s Compete for Future Goals

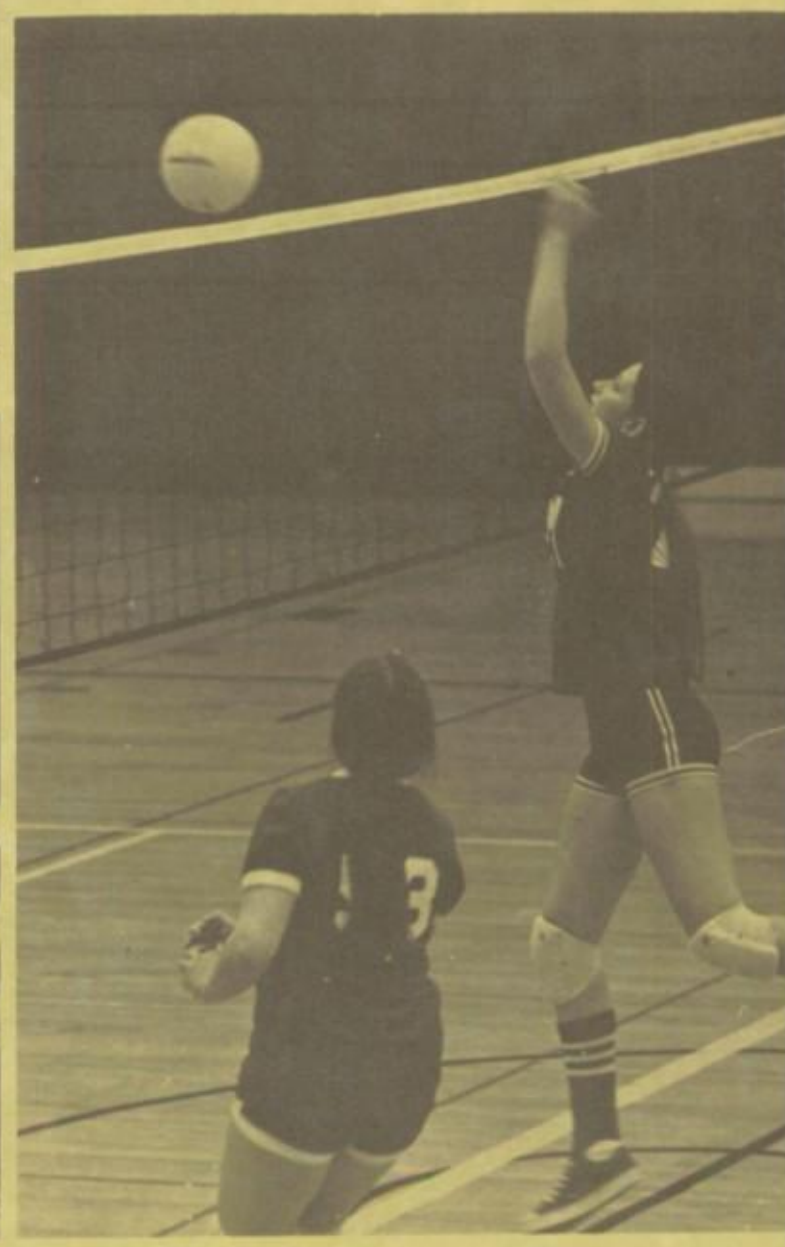
J. V. Basketball... Coach Sue Helman...
...Co-captains... Dorene Schick...
...Angie Carter
...13 players... team work
...17 games... five wins
...jump balls... fouls... sweat
...Sports Banquet... certificates...
...Most Valuable... Dorene Schick
...Most Improved... Greta Gates
...gained experience... ready for next year



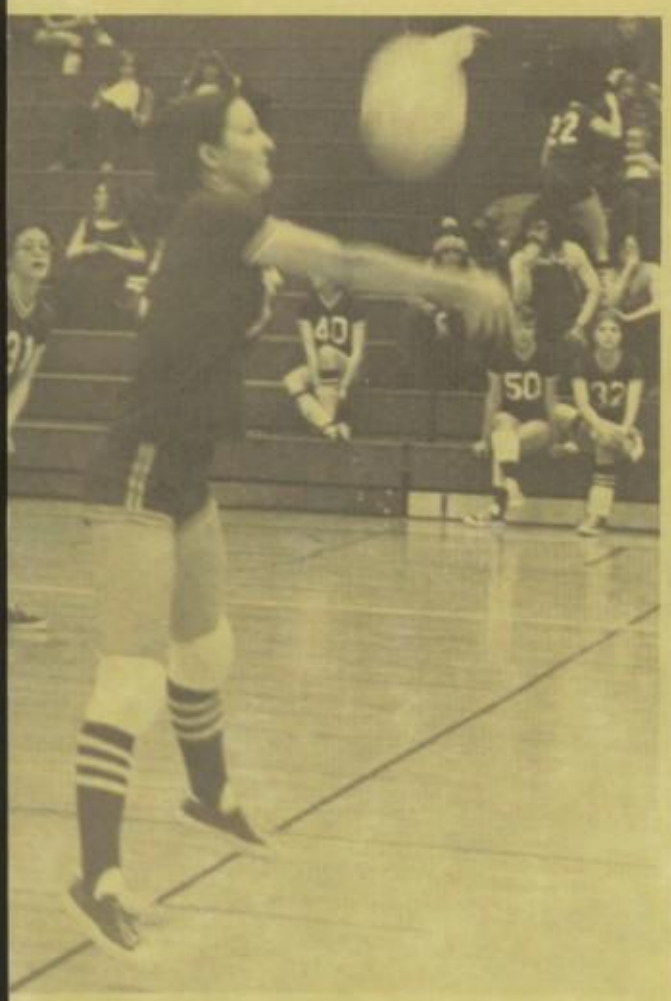
Top: 1975 Junior Varsity Basketball Team--Front row: Bonnie Poscal, Dorene Schick, Angie Carter, Pam O'Boyle. Second row: Ann Colthorp, Joy Rittenour, Lynn O'Boyle, Cheryl Ingersoll, Leann Posey. Back row: Greta Gates, Diane Juhas, Manager Tammy Schutt, Sue Fisher, Jennie Jenkins. Above: Ann Colthorp sets a pick for Bonnie Poscal. Center: Dorene Schick goes up for two while Bonnie Poscal awaits a possible rebound. Center right: Greta Gates scores a free throw for the Huskies. Right: Coach Helman fires up the JV's for a victorious second half.

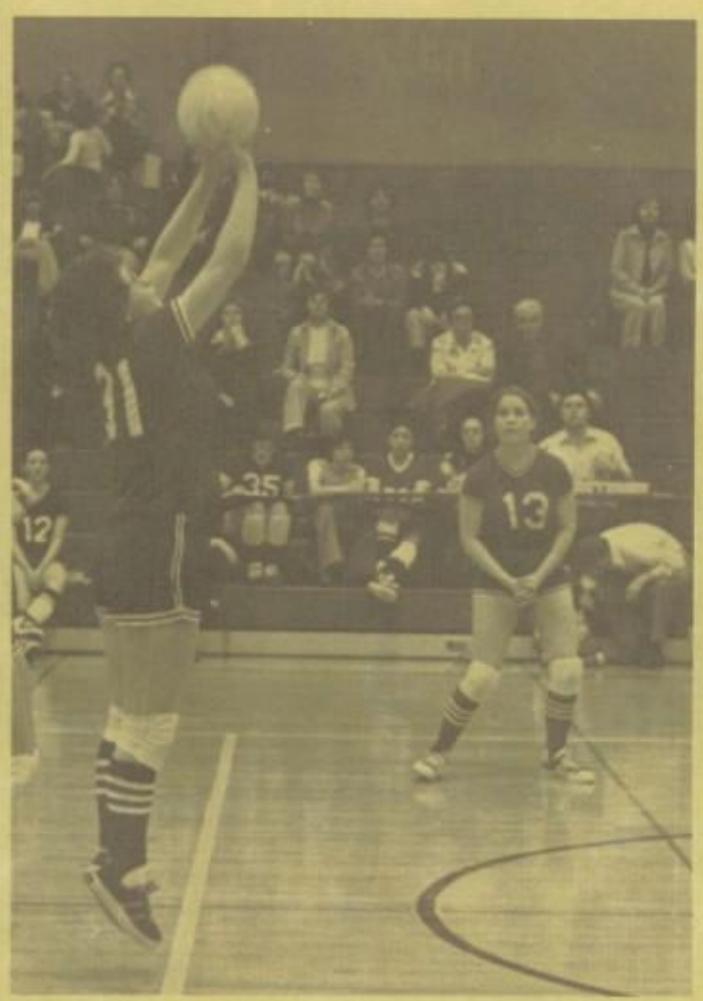
J.V. Volleyball...A Season of Fundamentals

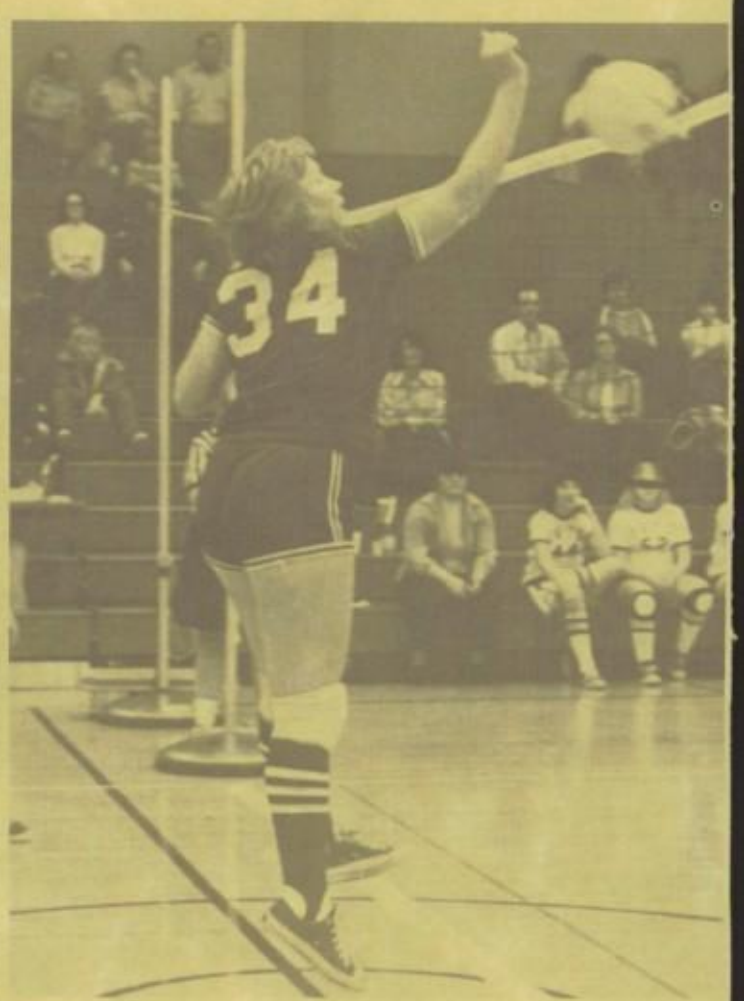
JV Volleyball...
- ...coach... Pam Bolt
- ...captain... Leann Posey
- ... 15 players... team work
- ... learning skills...
  - ... gaining experience
- ... "Ready position"... "move!"
- ... six wins... eight defeats
- ... Sports Banquet... certificates



Far upper left: Captain Leann Posey spikes the ball over an opponents block. Upper left: Dorene Schick uses her serve to score for the Huskies. Center left: 1976 Junior Varsity Volleyball Team--Kneeling: Dorene Schick, Linda Conn, Cheryl Wright, Robin Anderson, Manager Janet Myers, Sheila Stoneman, Greta Gates, Lisa McIlrath. Standing: Cheryl Ingersoll, Judy Juhas, Diane Juhas, Julie Burt, Tracey Kleinhans, Sue Sterling, Leann Posey, Cindy Thomas. Left: Sue Sterling bumps the ball to her teammates while Sheila Stoneman stands by to assist. Above: Lisa McIlrath uses skill and strength to return the ball.



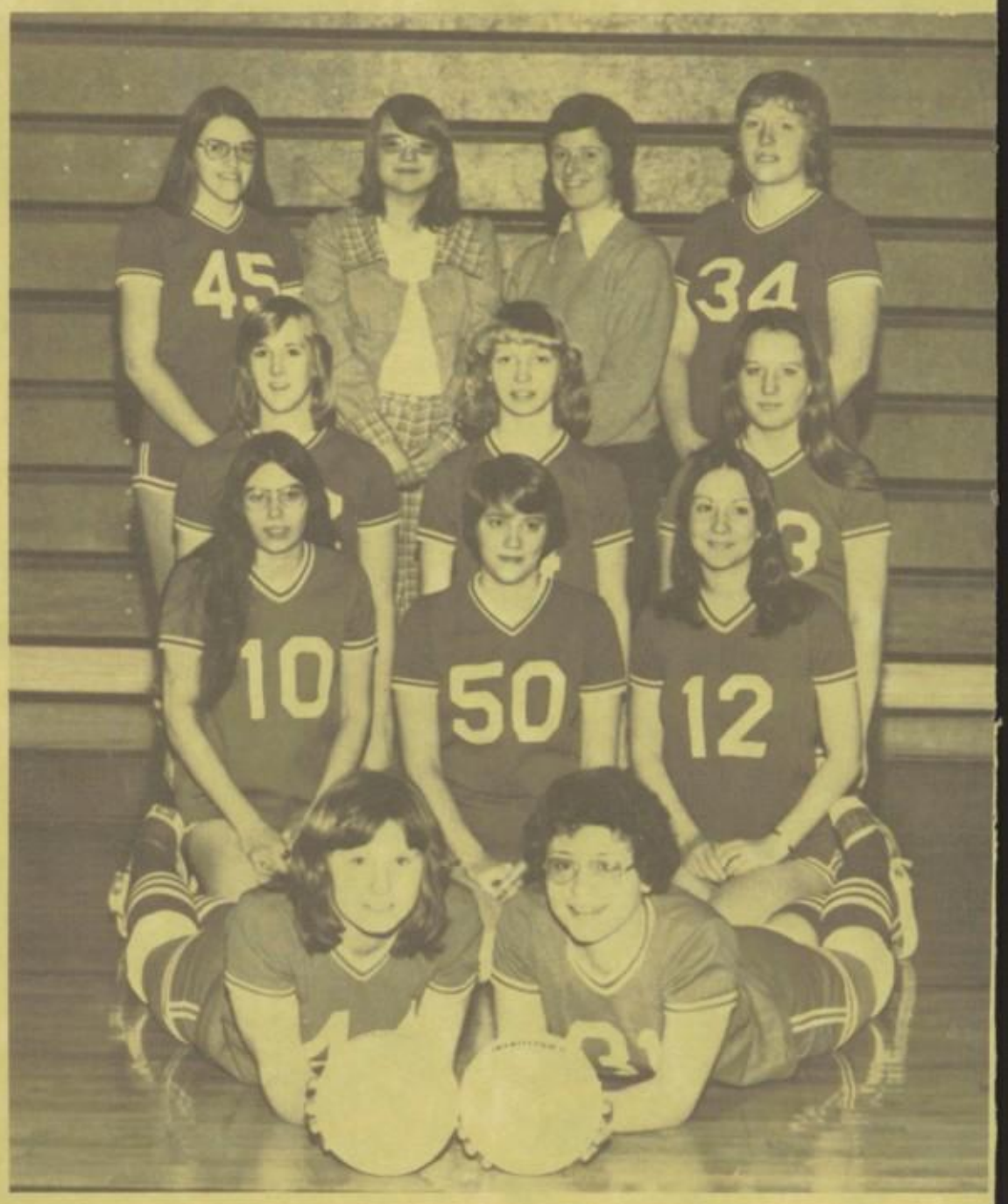




Bump ... Set ... Spike ... Volleyball Action

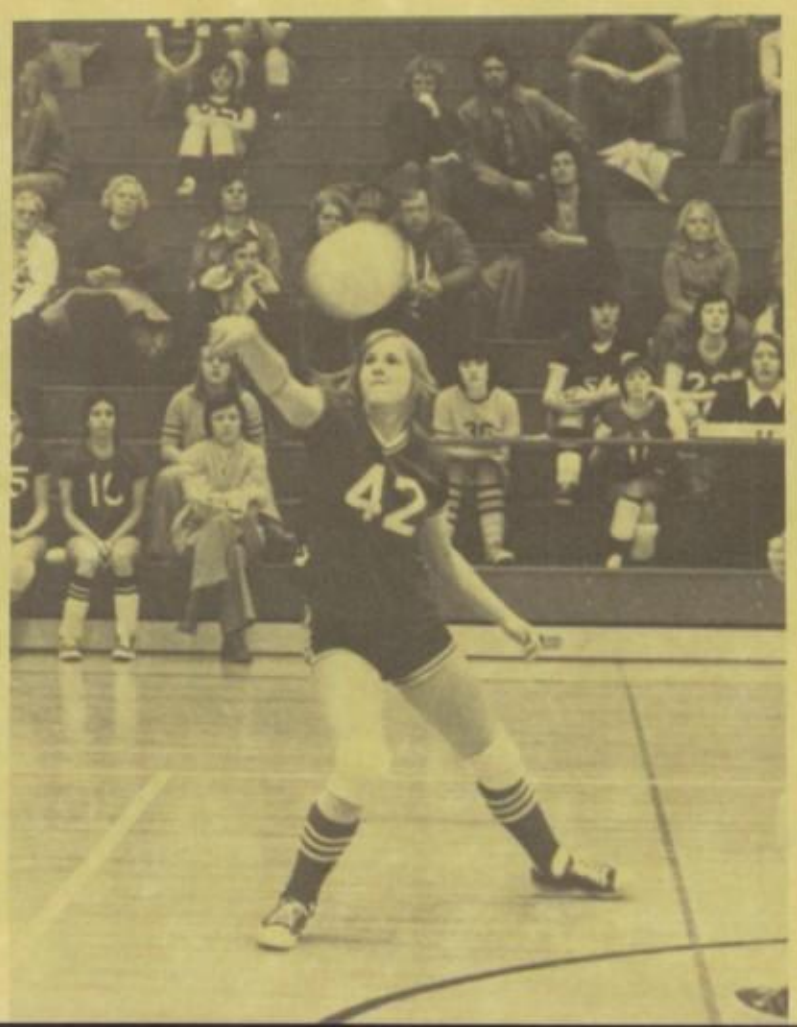
Girl's Varsity Volleyball...
- ...captain... Kim Kleinhans
- ... 12 players...
  - ... experienced through the years
- ... Valentine's Day Tournaments...
  - ... runner-up
- ... bruised knees... weak ankles...
  - ... tough competition
- ... six wins... eight losses

OPPONENT		BHS
Merrill	15, 15	13, 5
Shepherd	8, 6	15, 15
Ithaca	5, 15, 15	15, 11, 11
St. Louis	9, 7	15, 15
Freeland	15, 15	5, 12
St. Charles	12, 11	15, 15
Seminary	15, 15	13, 8
Merrill	15, 9, 15	9, 15, 7
Shepherd	15, 4, 9	5, 15, 15
Ithaca	5, 15, 15	15, 0, 12
St. Louis	15, 15	11, 12
Freeland	15, 12, 10	0, 15, 15
St. Charles	9, 12	15, 15
Seminary	15, 15	10, 9
Hemlock	14, 18, 3	16, 16, 15
Merrill	15, 5, 14	9, 13, 8



Opposite page, upper left: Judy Myers bumps the ball to the front row. Center: Captain Kim Kleinhans sets the volleyball to her teammates. Upper right: Trying to outmaneuver her opponents, Jeannette Varner spikes the ball over the net. Lower right: 1976 Varsity Volleyball Team--Front row: Marcy Dunn, Kim Kleinhans. Second row: Sandy Fetters, Sunday McLean, Judy Myers. Third row: Bonnie Warmouth, Cathy Sandy, Jane Kennedy. Back row: Julie Dunn, Manager Janet Myers, Coach Pam Bolt, Jeannette Varner.

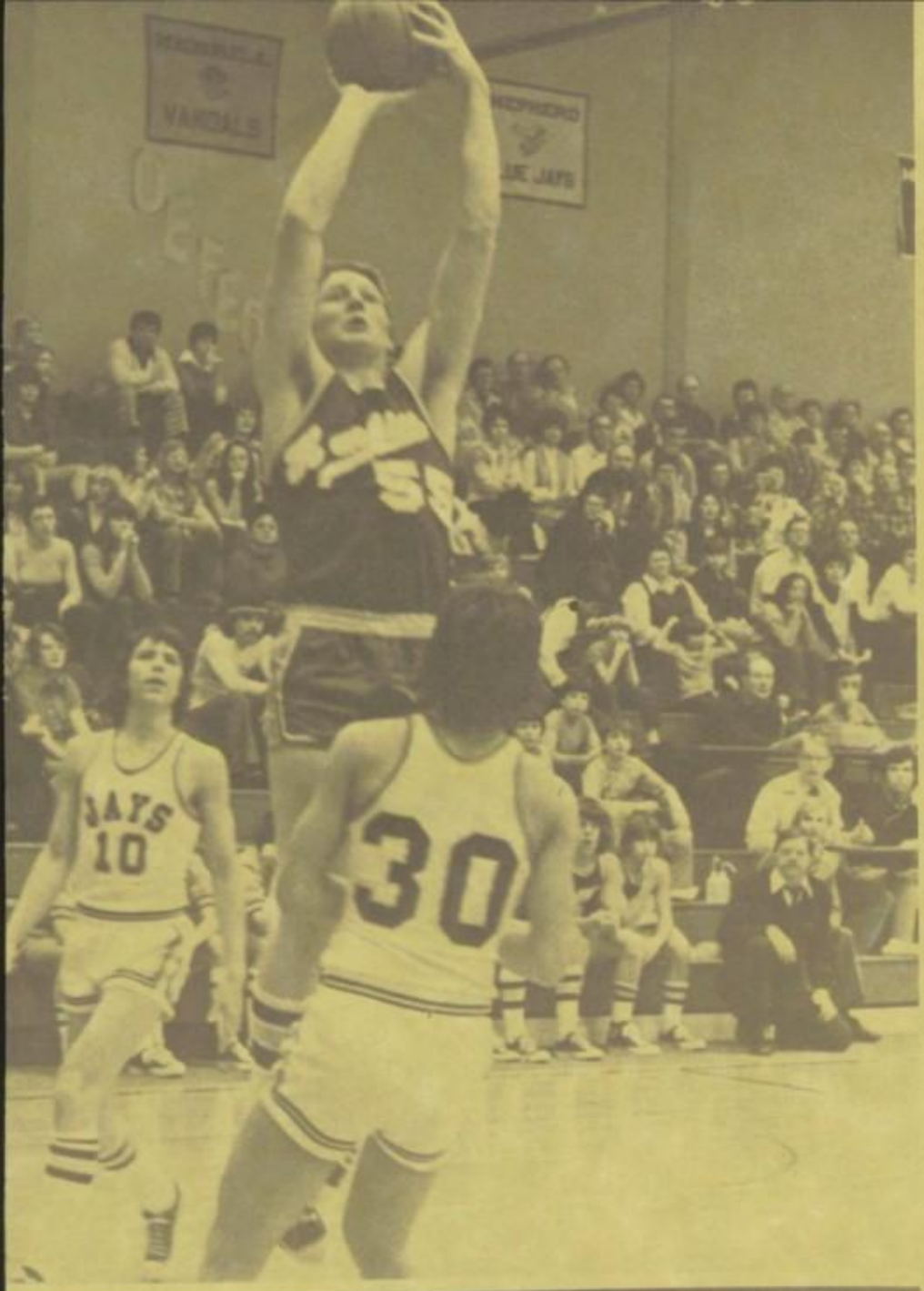
Upper left: Sheila Ward jumps high to spike the ball. Left: Cathy Sandy and Marcy Dunn are prepared for the smash. Lower left: Coach Bolt and the bench cheer their teammates on to victory. Above: Linda Muscott and Marcy Dunn display their own unique style of teamwork. Lower right: Bonnie Warmouth bats the ball in a one-armed bump.

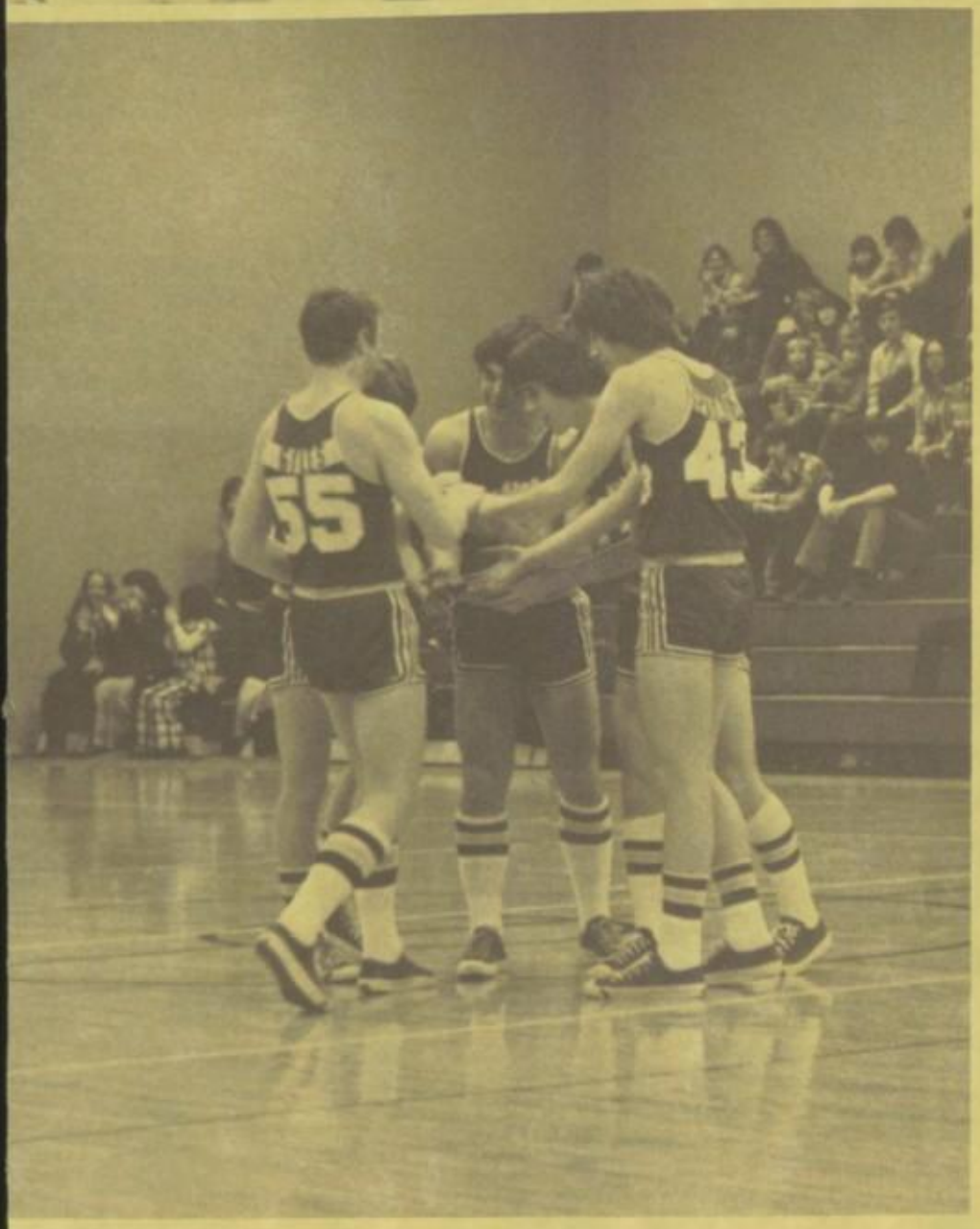


Winning Season Highlights Huskie Cagers

Heinen's Huskies...
...coaching leadership...
...Coach Heinen
...five seniors
...co-captains...Matt Heinen...
...Steve Poindexter
...Matt Heinen...first team All-Conference
...young but talented
...outlook is bright
...signs of champions
...12 wins...eight losses

Top: 1975-76 Varsity Basketball Team--Front row: Manager Greg Smith, Al Neal, Pete Heinen, Matt Heinen, Steve Poindexter, Steve Spaulding, Doug Hoard, Manager Konrad Rotermund. Back row: Scott Laurenz, Stuart Goodyear, Tim Giles, Coach Matt Heinen, Ken Krueger, Ken Vantine, Scott Gaines, Steve Clapp. Right: Junior forward Scott Laurenz drives in for two in an impressive win over Montabella. Opposite page, upper left: Leading scorer Tim Giles connects for two against conference foe Shepherd. Lower left: The "Huskie Five" get fired up for a key contest with Merrill. Upper right: Junior guard Al Neal makes one of his many steals in a victory over rival Ithaca. Center right: Floor leader Matt Heinen dribbles fast to break the Shepherd press.





OPPONENT		BHS
Fulton	83	57
Freeland	71	61
Shepherd	73	58
St. Charles	53	78
Seminary	72	83
Edmore	63	78
Sacred Heart	72	66
Merrill	76	56
Ithaca	58	71
Shepherd	62	78
Ashley	58	60
Freeland	79	61
Edmore	48	78
St. Charles	52	64
Seminary	78	73
Merrill	69	77
Central Montcalm	92	96
Ithaca	55	68
St. Louis	98	66
St. Louis	60	75
Fulton	85	78

J.V.'s Show Promise

Junior Varsity Basketball...
...fundamentals... drills...
...striving for perfection
...disappointing season... 6-14 record
...captains... Dan Carter... Kev Harrison
...coach... Dan Redes...
...first year at JV level

Above: Dan Carter and Larry Moe control the boards. Upper right: Dave Cronkite hits for two. Center right: Bruce Neal slips through the defense. Right: 1975-76 Junior Varsity Basketball Team--Front row: Mark Rohde, Dave Cronkite, Coach Dan Redes, Rick Ramirez, Bruce Neal. Back row: Larry Moe, Kev Harrison, Dennis Ostrander, Dan Carter, Marc White, Matt Bolt, Greg Huntoon, Val Larkin.

Frosh Experience Rough Season

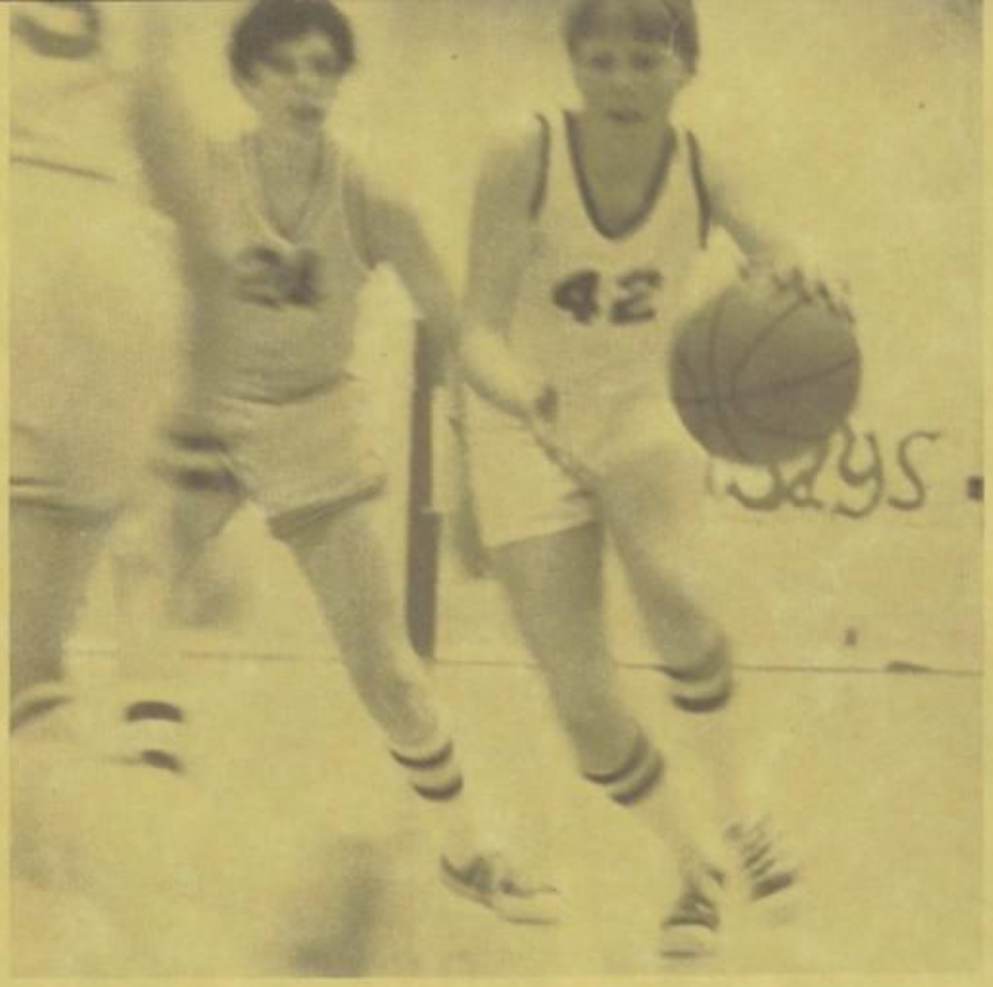
Freshman Basketball...
...coach...Keith Kushion
...captains...Kim Maylee...
...Jeff Bartlett
...early morning practices
...4-11 season record
...ready for JV action

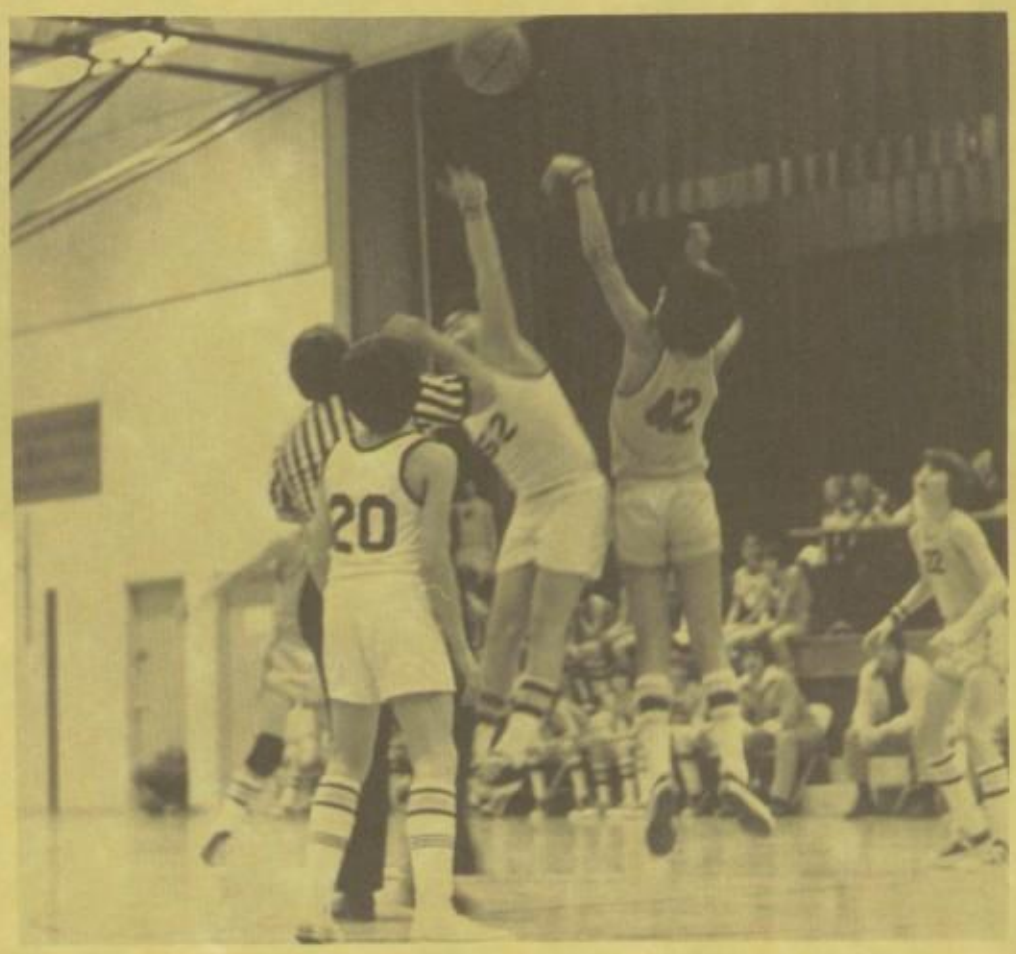
Upper left: Bernie Dean passes through a hole in the defense. Center left: Jeff Bartlett hits for two from the side. Left: 1975-76 Freshman Basketball Team--Front row: Herb Burkett, Kevin Dicken, Dave Gulick, Craig Folts, Doug Hudson, Cary Huntoon, Randy Nagel. Back row: Tom Gulick, Brad Wolfgang, Coach Keith Kushion, Kim Maylee, Jeff Bartlett, Mike KcKenzie. Missing is Bernie Dean. Above: Pivot man Kim Maylee attempts to bring down a rebound.

Seventh Grade Shows Hustle

... worked on skills... fundamentals
... A team... three wins... six losses
... B team... four wins... two losses
... Shepherd Invitational... fourth place
... coach... Lon Busch

Below: Roger Mason sets himself in a good defensive position. Right: Bob Shelley dribbles his way through a tight defense. Center right: Mike Chapin goes high for the tip. Bottom: 1975-76 Seventh Grade Basketball Team.



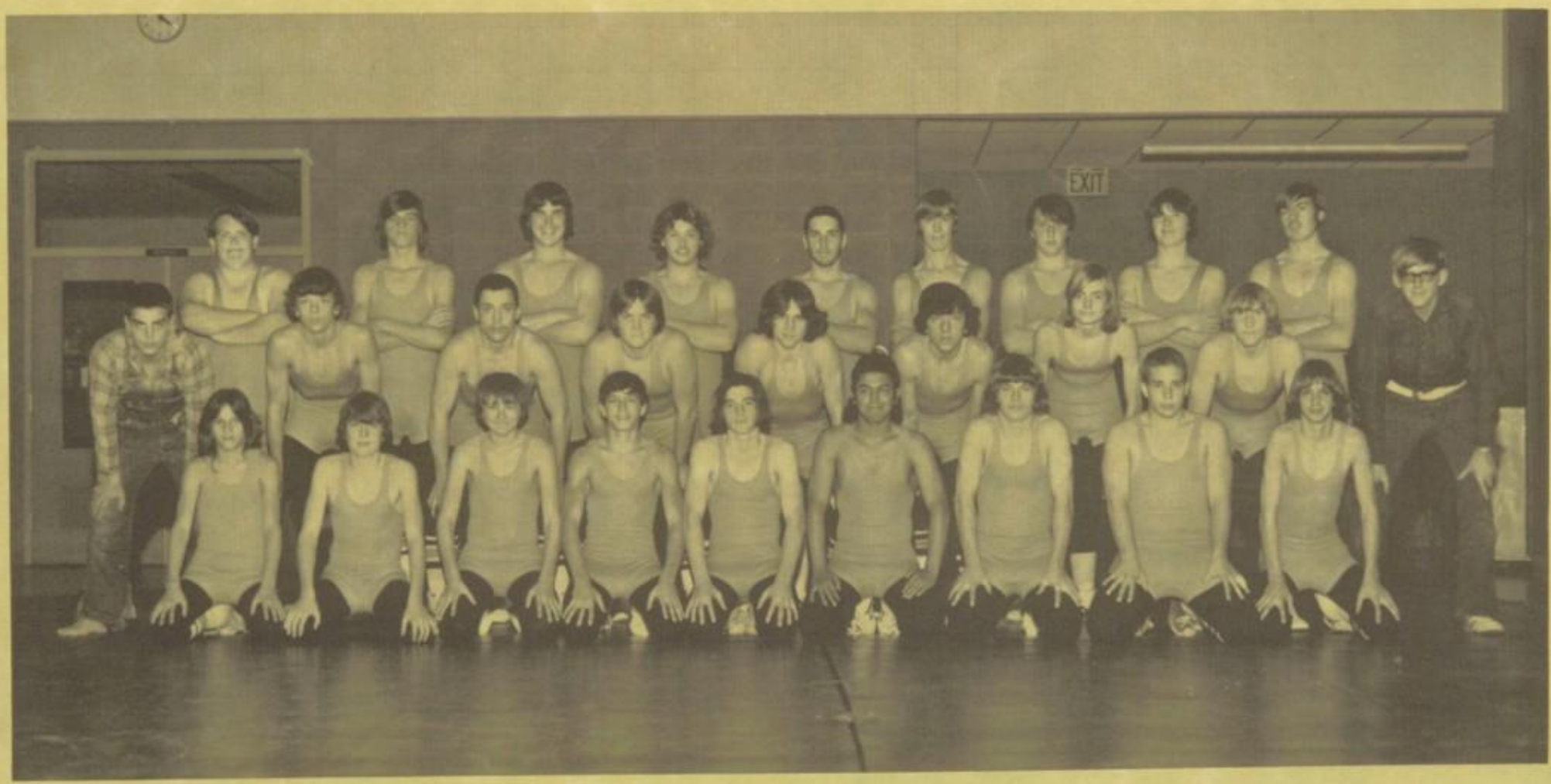


Eighth Grade Gains Experience

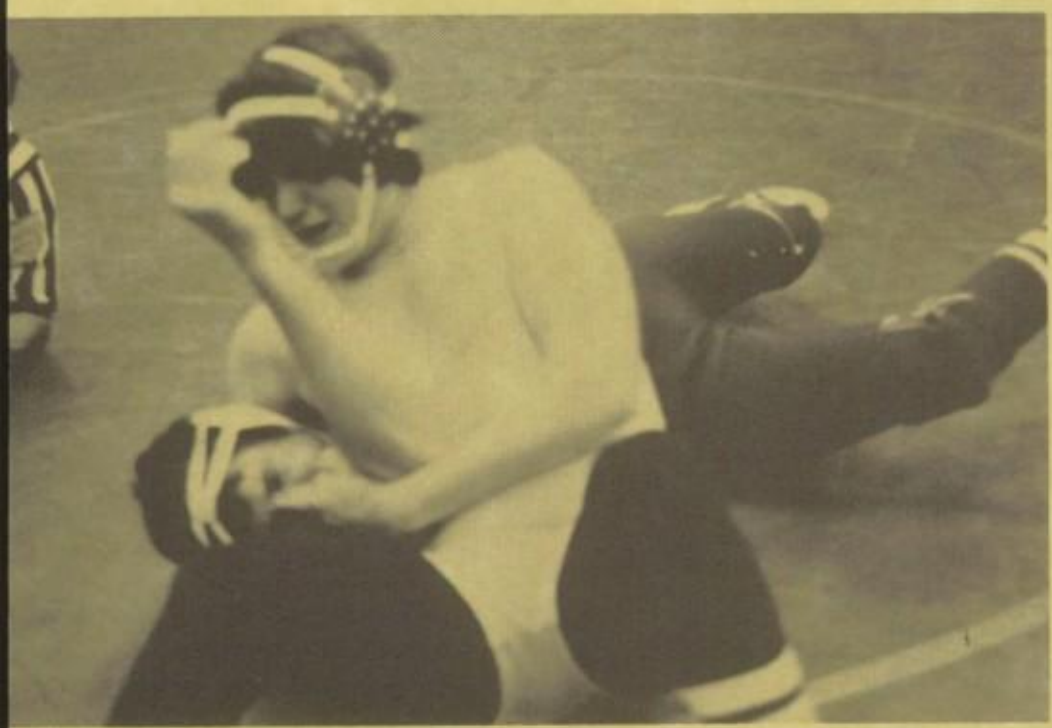
...improved record...performance
...learned zone defense
...A team...four wins...four losses
...B team...two wins...three losses
...coach...Fred Sprague

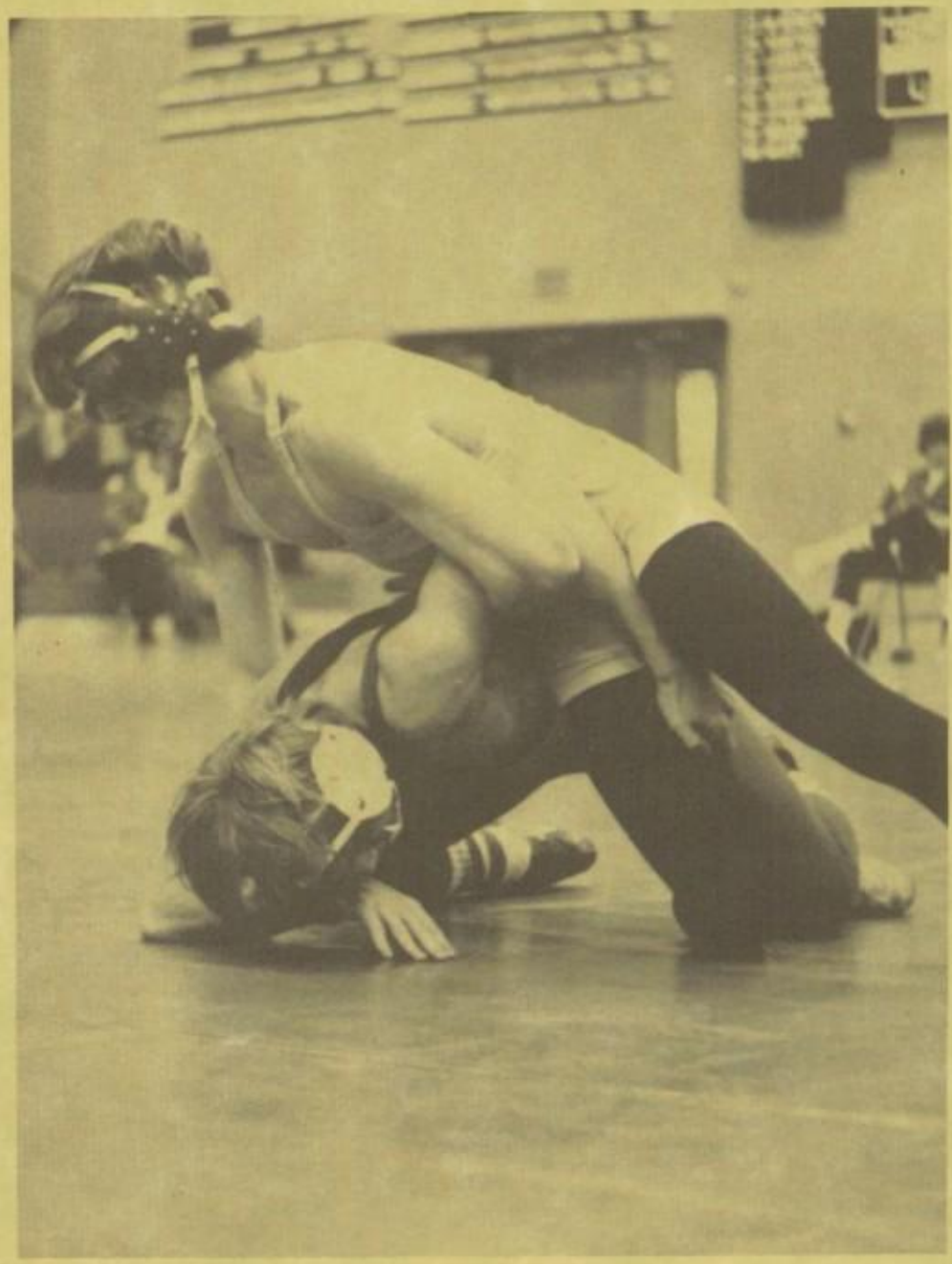
Left: Rod Wale takes a jumper from the corner. Center left: Steve Coston eyes an open teammate. Bottom: 1975-76 Eighth Grade Basketball Team. Below: Jeff Smith sets for an outside shot.

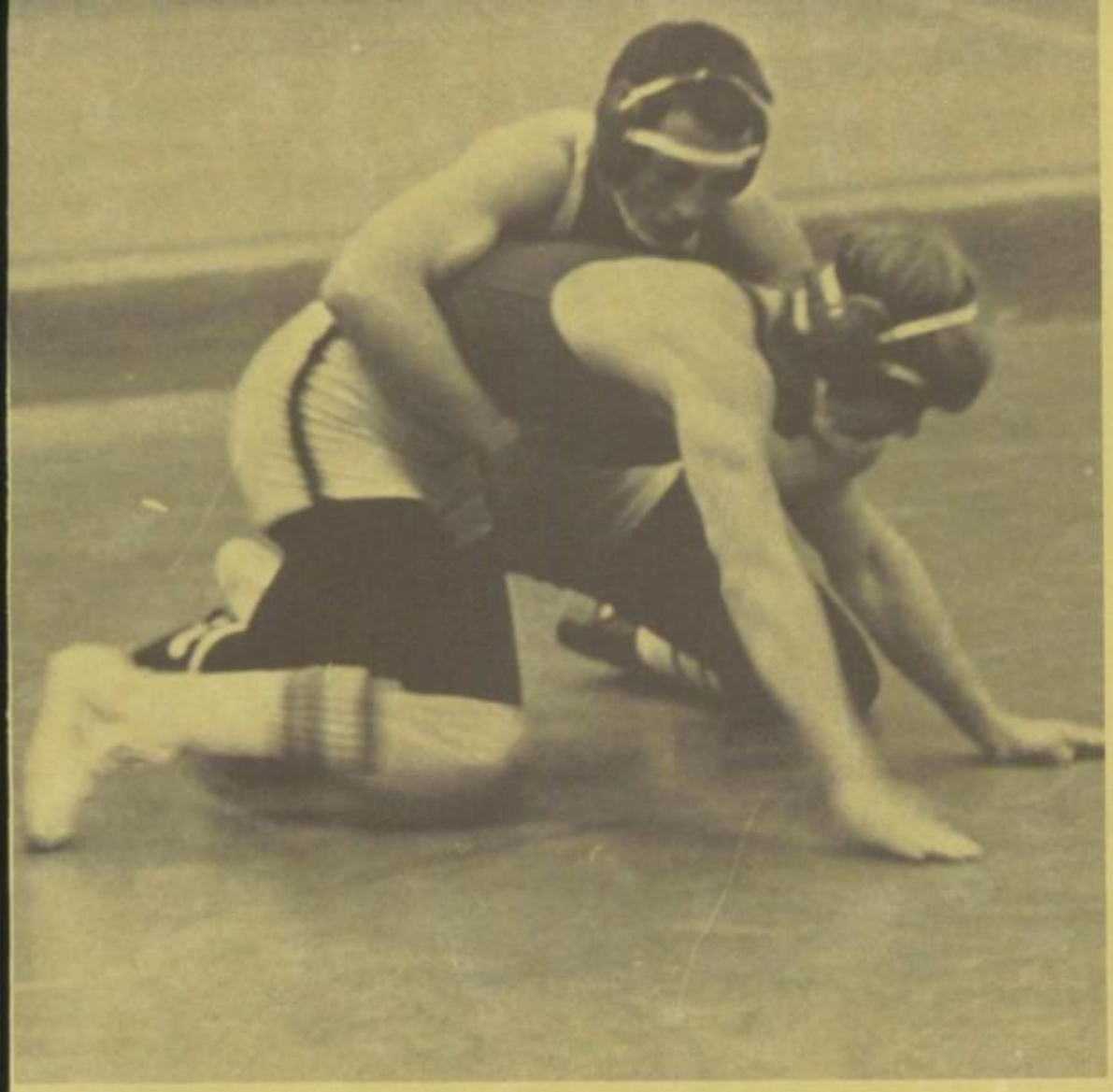
Improved Wrestlers Vitalize Program



Varsity Wrestling...
- ... new coaches... Martin Haag...
  - ... Dave Vibber
- ... a young team
- ... three wins... ten losses
- ... first place... Meridian Tournament...
  - ... first in a short history
  - ... 11 medal winners
- ... one Regional qualifier...
  - ... Don Gleesing
- ... outlook is bright







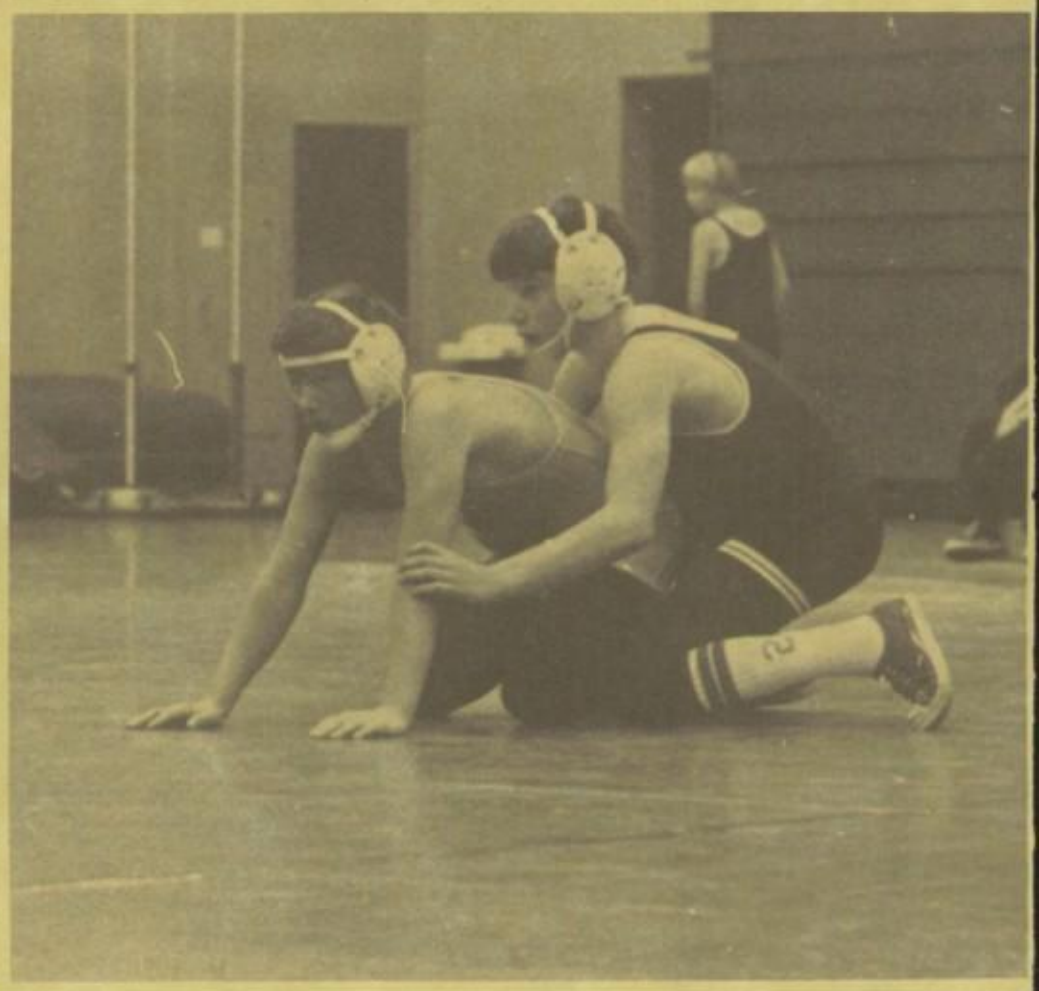
OPPONENT		BHS
Swan Valley	49	9
Carson City Crystal	49	15
Carson City Invitational		4th place
Montabella	35	24
St. Charles	35	14
Seminary	44	18
Fulton	33	28
Bullock Creek	29	30
Merrill	28	36
Fulton Invitational		5th place
St. Louis Invitational		6th place
Freeland	38	12
Sanford Meridian Invitational		1st place
Shepherd	39	18
St. Louis	41	21
Ithaca	24	28
Conference Tourney		8th place

Opposite page, top: 1975-76 Varsity Wrestling Team--Front row: Jamie Wright, Wade Roberts, Jim Brown, Brian Welsh, John Burt, Juan Rodriguez, Leo Kennedy, Jim Clark, Greg Breidinger. Second row: Barry Edgecombe, Rick Brown, Don Gleesing, Mike Wolfgang, Mark Clark, Mark Hulwick, Brian Brown, Matt Mecomber, Ken Neitzke. Back row: Benny Fisher, Pat Burt, Gary Edgecombe, Doug Londry, Brian Miller, Mark Simmons, Wayde Cochran, Dennis Shankel, Craig Wright. Missing from the picture is Bob Burt. Lower left: Gary Edgecombe holds his opponent in a pin. Lower right: Mark Clark rolls his opponent to defeat.
Upper left: Don Gleesing takes the referee's position. Center left: Brian Miller fights for a firm grip. Left: Bob Burt is pronounced the victor. Above: The wrestlers watch an exciting match.

"Three Points . . . Takedown!"

Jr. High Wrestling... young but promising
... third place... Pinconning Tournaments
... seven matches... one win... six losses
... a season of fundamentals

Below: Coach Voss and team members shout encouragement to a competing wrestler. Upper right: The thrill of victory promotes enthusiasm for Steve White. Center right: Dan Childs assumes the starting position, ready to begin the match at the referee's whistle. Bottom: 1975-76 Jr. High Wrestling Team--Front row: Steve White, Ron Haworth, Todd Ward, Bob Lange, Randy Gates, Stuart Wright. Back row: Doug O'Boyle, Leonard Long, Donald Long, Rick Maylee, Randy Tester, Jeff Knapik, Dan Childs.



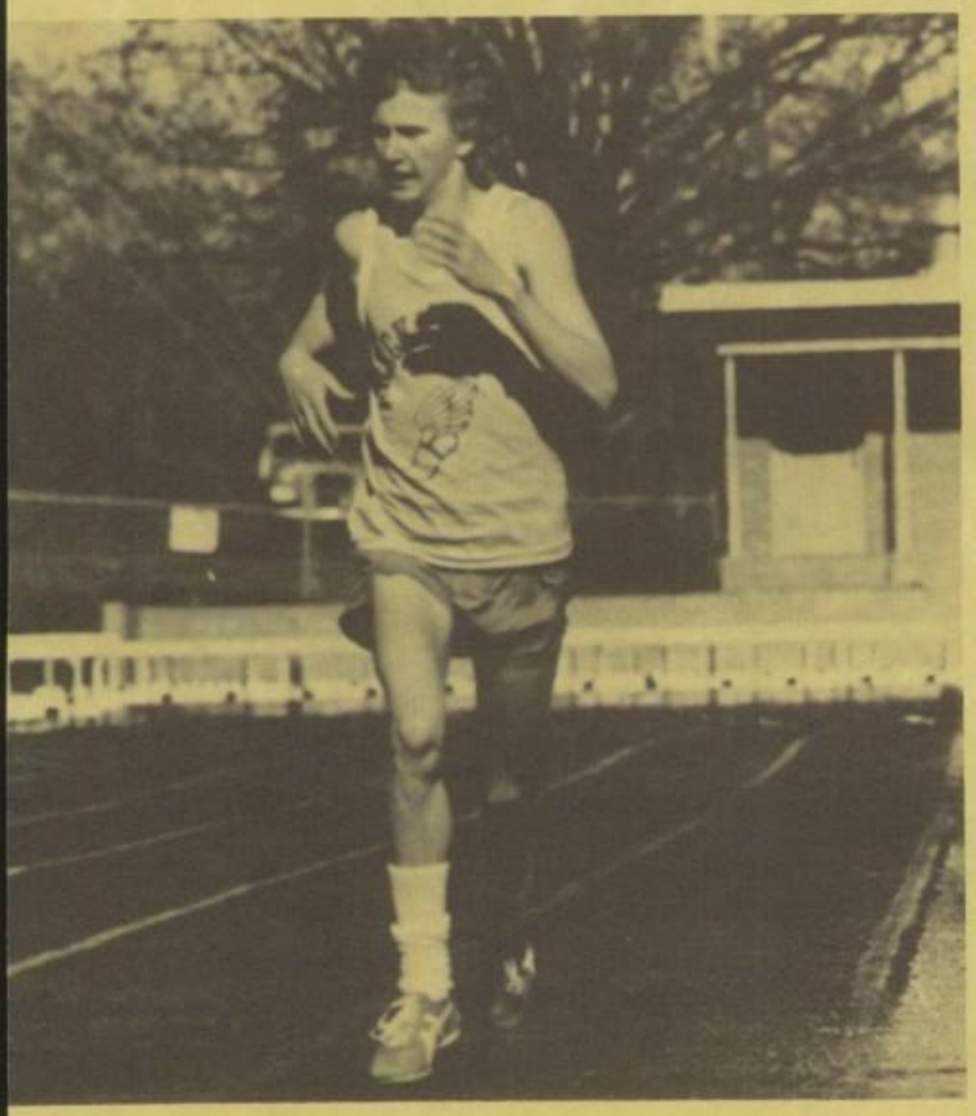
Jr. High Tracksters Show Promise

. . . five track meets . . .
. . . double dual . . . tri-angular meets
. . . seventh place . . . Fulton Invitational
. . . coach . . . Dan Redes

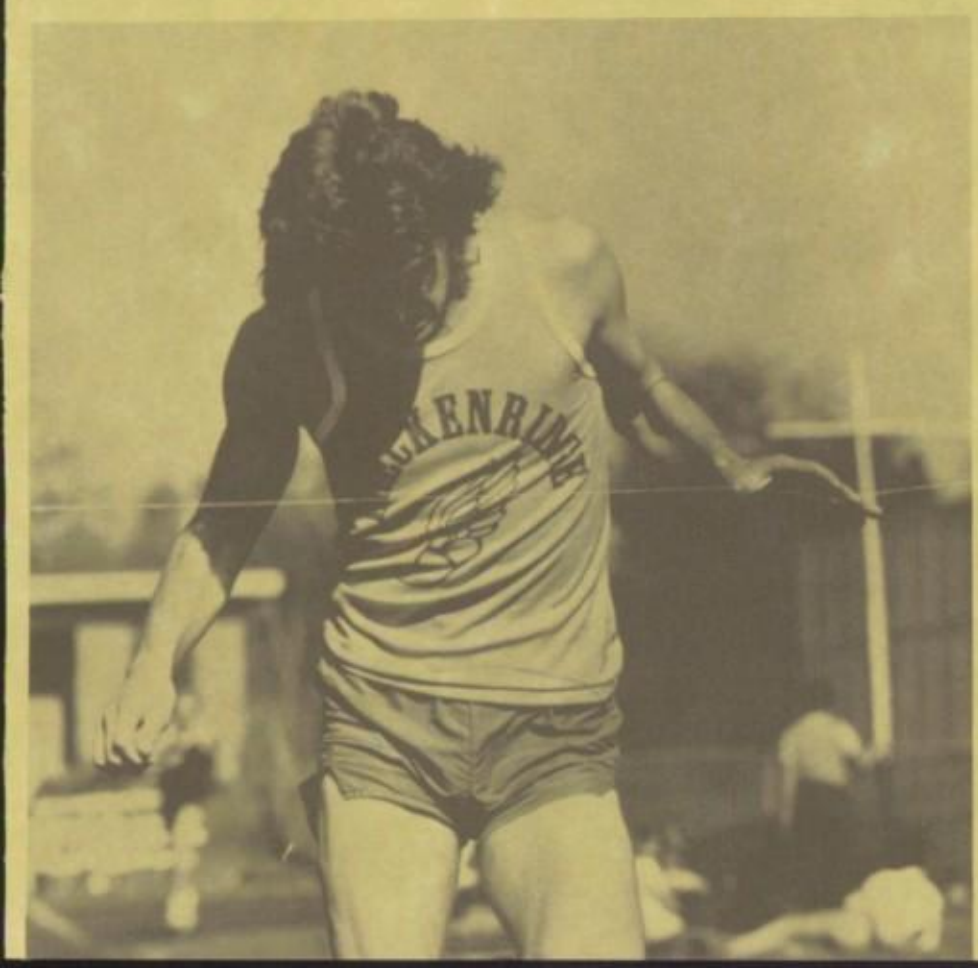
Top: The 1976 Jr. High Track Team-- Front row: Jerry Miller, Roger Mason, Scott Bushre, Rick Maylee, Shane Girvin, Keith Krueger, Tom Schwind, Mark Sterling. Center row: Keith Stoneman, Dave Greenwood, Konrad Rotermund, Steve Coston, Brad Burtch, Chris Clark, Scott Guthrie, Richard Hendricks, Tim Neal, Cleve Hamann. Back row: Jim Farkas, Allen Goward, Dale Hoard, Jim Giles, Dave Secord, Coach Dan Redes, Mark Kleinhans, John Stoneman, Kyle Bolt, Steve Fisher, Rick Webb, Jerry Wolfgang. Center left: Scott Bushre attempts to clear the bar. Left: John Stoneman runs the last leg of a relay. Above: Bob Huntoon unleashes the shot put.

Trackmen ... Strong!

Varsity Track... best year in BHS history...
... nine new school records...
... discus... Champine... 114' 10 3/4"
... 880 relay... Bayes... Giles... Sweany...
... Federspiel... 1:32. 6
... 880 run... Gaines... 1:59. 0
... mile run... Smith... 4:24. 6
... 100 yd. dash... Sweany... 10. 0
... high hurdles... Tyrell... 20. 5
... two mile run... Cronkite... 9:56. 6
... mile relay... Smith... Poindexter...
... Capen... Gaines... 3:31. 6
... 440 relay... Miller... Bayes... Krueger...
... Giles... 45. 2



OPPONENT		BHS
Seminary	73	59
Swan Valley	62½	26
St. Charles	26	67½
Ithaca	44	88
St. Louis	74½	57½
St. Charles	57	75
Merrill	41	91
Freeland	39	93
Shepherd	51	81
St. Louis Relays		10th place
Chip Relays		13th place
USA Relays		2nd place
Ferris Relays		5th place
League Meet		1st place
State Regionals		2nd place
State Finals Class C		6th place



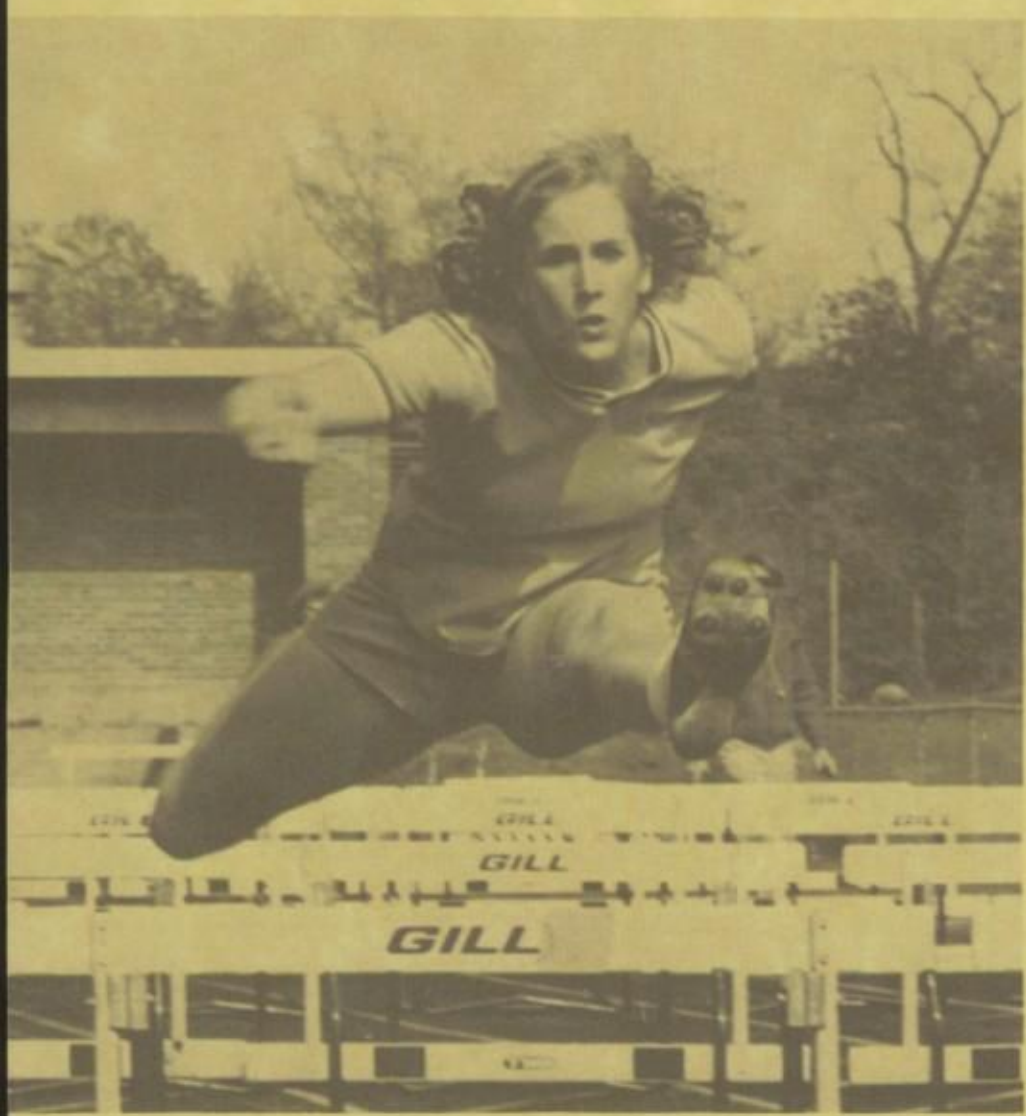
Opposite page, left: Dave Cronkite takes stride in the two mile run. Upper right: Bill Sweany stretches for a first place in the 220 yard dash. Center right: Mike Federspiel hands the baton to Tim Giles in the 880 yard relay. Bottom: 1976 Boy's Varsity Track Team--Front row: Manager Keith Krueger, Ken Van Tine, Brain Miller, Bill Sweany, Steve Poindexter, Tom Tyrell, Greg Estrada, Eldon Burkett. Second row: Dave Gulick, Bruce Neal, Tim Giles, Dave Cronkite, Dan Carter, Mark Cronkite, John Watson, Al Neal, Doug Hoard, Tom Bayes, Leo Kennedy, Jeff Bartlett, Manager Tim Neal. Back row: Coach Wayne Florida, Mark Hoffman, Rich Champine, Greg Huntoon, Max Capen, Craig Dunn, Ken Krueger, Matt Bolt, Kirk Smith, Mike Federspiel, Doug Londry, Spencer William, Jim Gillis, Scott Gaines, Coach Rudy Godefroidt.

Upper left: Ken Van Tine shows good form over the high jump bar. Center left: Steve Poindexter shows his style in the high hurdles. Left: Kirk Smith finishes with another first in the mile run. Above: Scott Gaines streaks for a first place in the 880 yard run.

Girls Capture Spotlight in Track and Field

Girl's Track...

...hard-working athletes...striving together
...conference record, 4-3 ...overall, 5-3
...2nd in League meet
...three events placed at State
...shot put... 100 yard dash... 440 yard relay
...Most Valuable Players... Laura Williams...
...Kim Burtch
...Most Improved... Angie Carter
...managers... Ann Kennedy... Lorie Olling
...coach... Pam Bolt

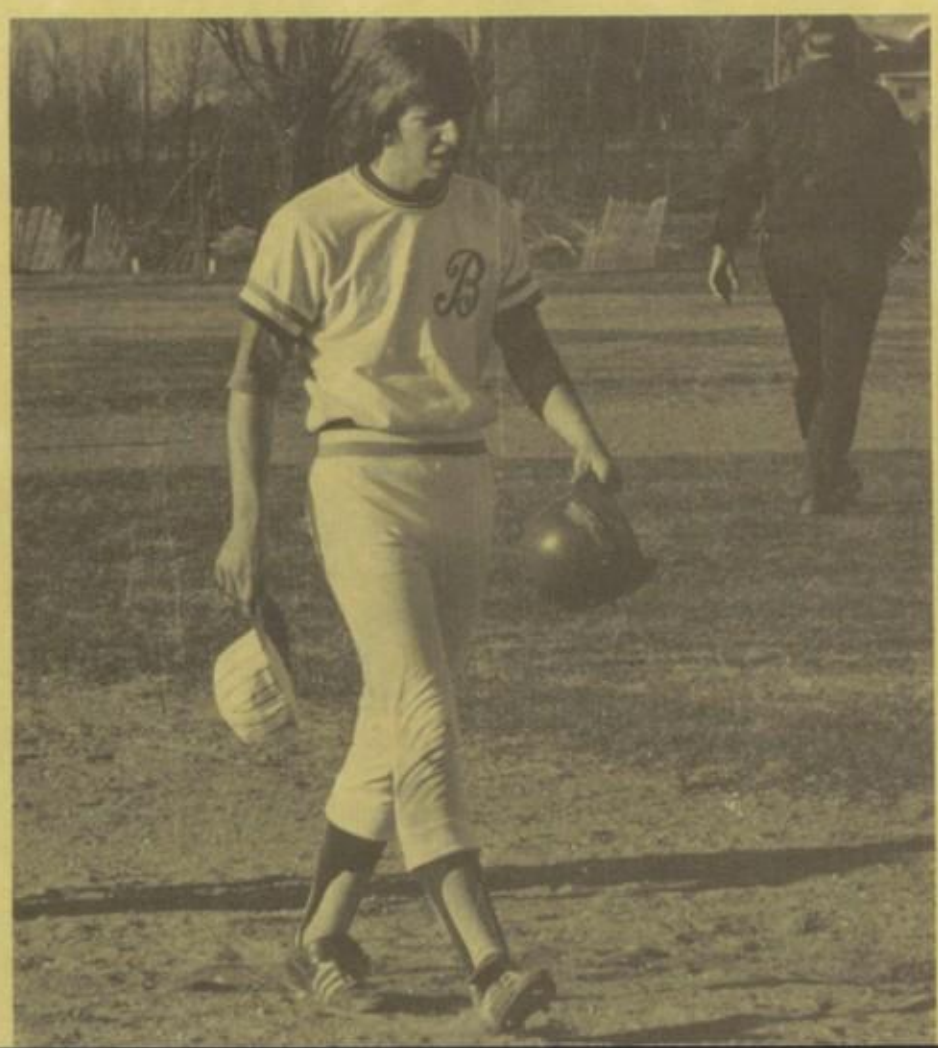


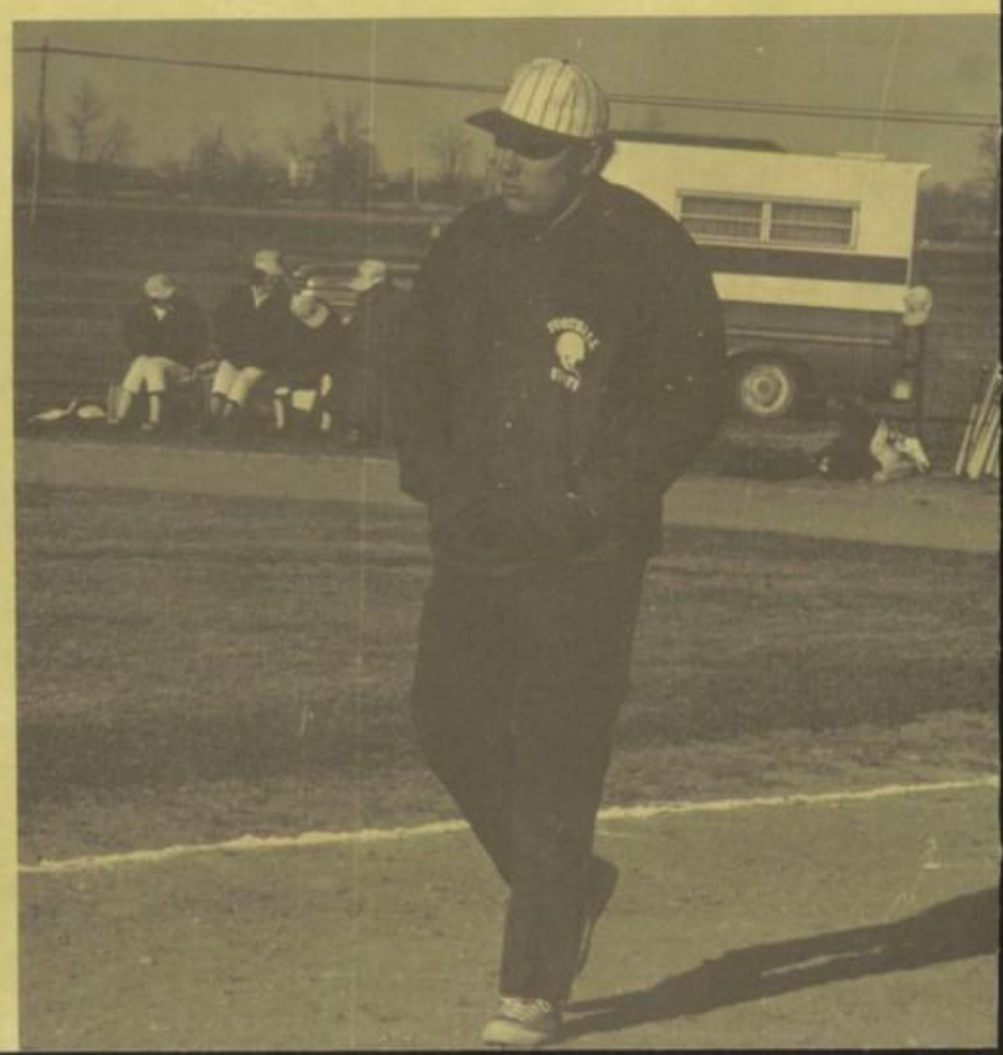
OPPONENT		BHS
Seminary	59	46
Ithaca	29	81
Shepherd	$55\frac{1}{2}$	$57\frac{1}{2}$
St. Louis	86	27
Merrill	26	83
Freeland	$21\frac{1}{2}$	$90\frac{1}{2}$
St. Charles	75	39
Swan Valley	$38\frac{1}{2}$	81

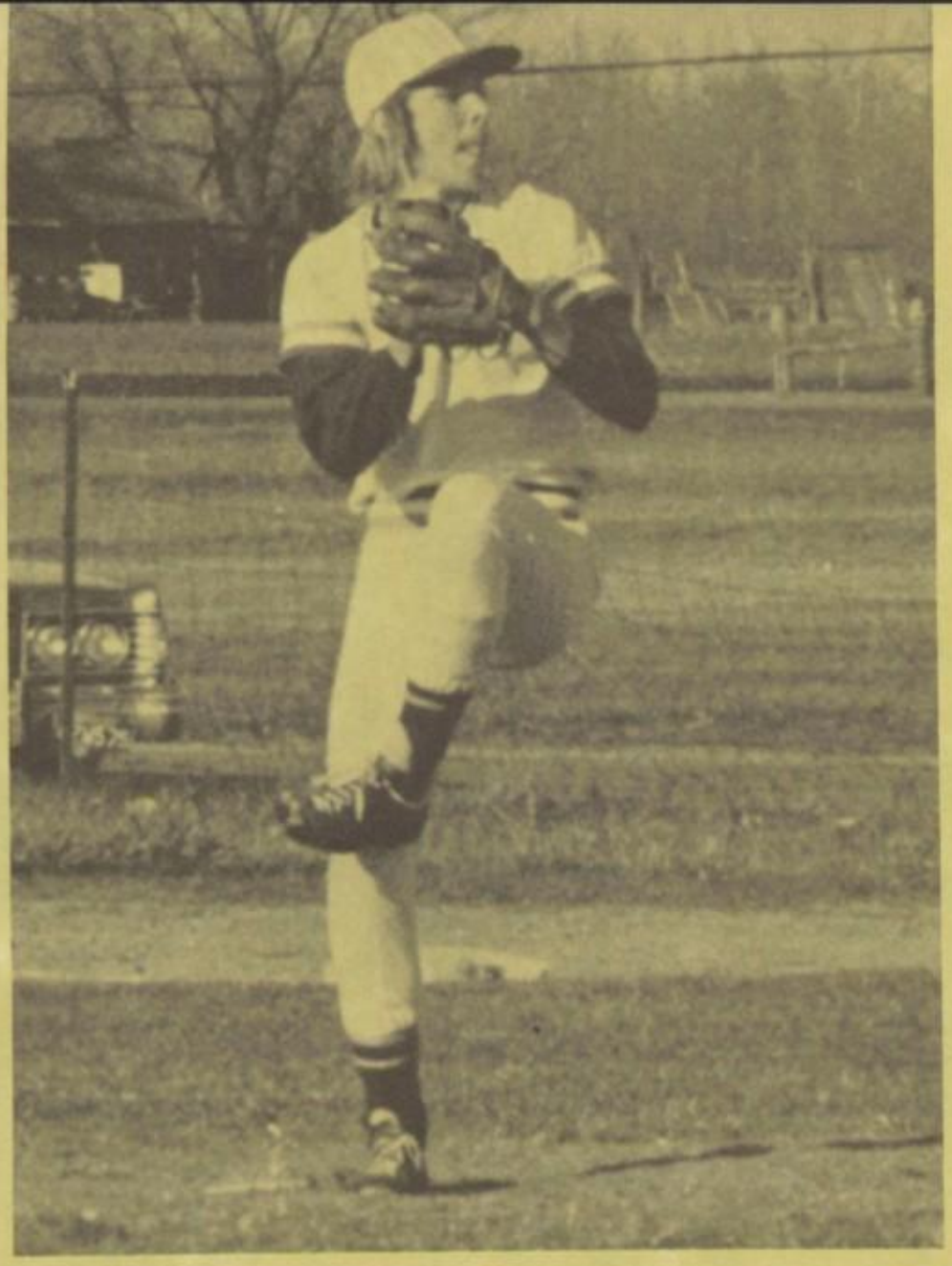
Opposite page, left: Bonnie Warmouth's hurdling style is captured on film. Upper right: Jennette Varner lets loose a record breaking put. Lower right: Laura Williams reaches for the end of the long jump pit.
Left: Lynn O'Boyle and Laura Williams execute a perfect hand-off. Center left: Cindy Acton clears the bar with inches to spare. Bottom: 1976 Girl's Varsity Track Team--Front row: Manager Ann Kennedy, Pam O'Boyle, Kim Moore, Susie Sterling, Jane Williams, Cathy Sandy, Pam Saunders, Manager Lorie Olling. Second row: Kim Burtch Vincenta Girvin, Laura Williams, Lynn O'Boyle, Anita Ramirez, Jill Brown, Sue Fisher, Tammy Lockwood, Lori Beers, Steff Hite, Lynne Cantu. Back row: Dorene Schick, Cindy Acton, Angie Carter, Kim Kleinhans, Jeannette Varner, Jean Heinen, Carm Wright, Lynda Shankel, Bonnie Warmouth, Robin Anderson, Cheryl Wright, Cindy Thomas, Coach Pam Bolt. Below: Coach Bolt times her runners at a track meet.

Huskie Hurlers Win CML Co-Championship

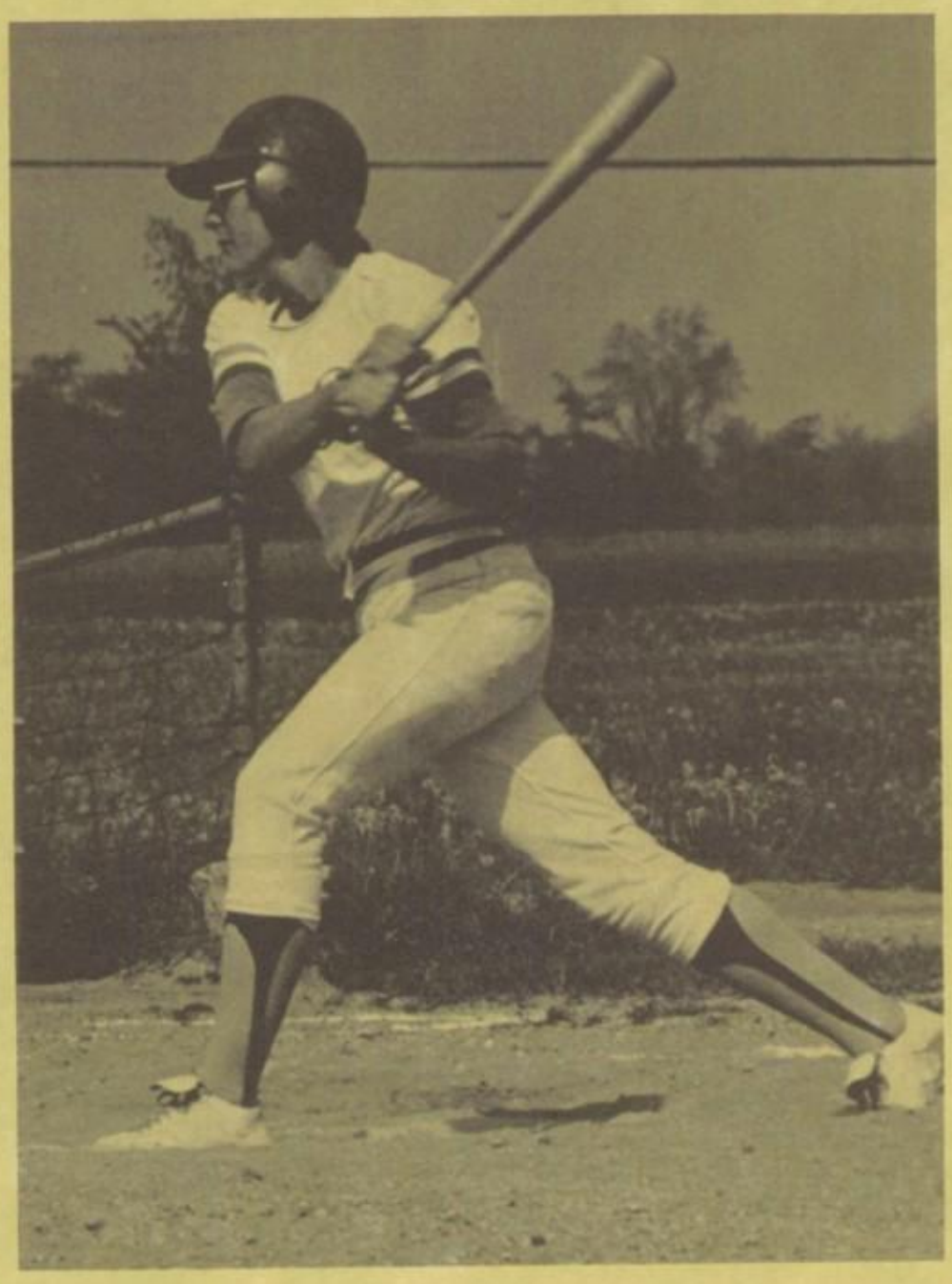
Varsity Baseball...
- ... much improved season... ten wins... five losses
- ... weak spots... losing pitchers
- ... sore arms... tight muscles
- ... Most Valuable Players...
  - ... Steve Clapp... Rick Bushre
- ... head coach... Jim Connell



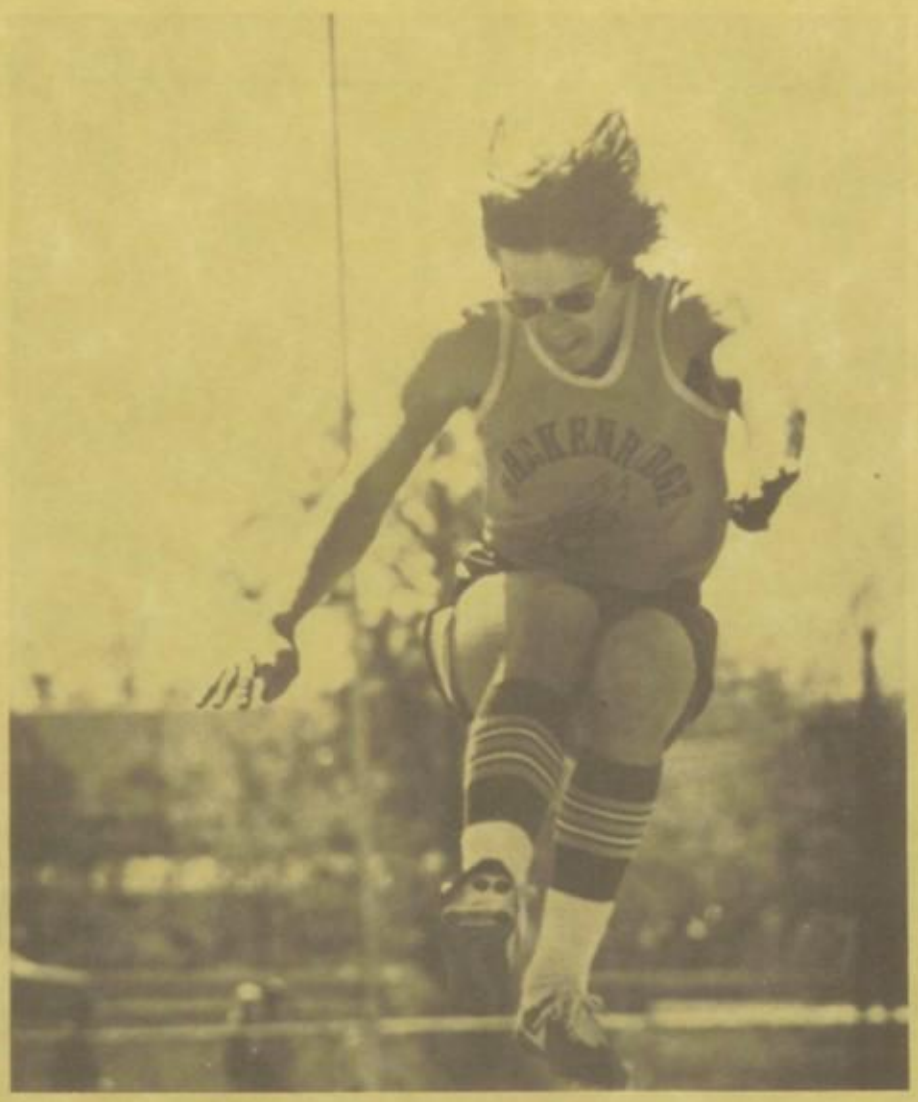




OPPONENT		BHS
Shepherd	6	8
Freeland	13	4
St. Charles	2	6
Merrill	1	7
Ithaca	5	4
St. Louis	1	5
Shepherd	0	11
Freeland	0	1
St. Charles	3	4
Seminary	3	2
(double-header)	7	6
Merrill	1	7
Montrose	3	2
Ithaca	1	2
St. Louis	3	10



Opposite page, top: 1976 Varsity Baseball Team--Sitting: Steve Clapp, Dick Riedel, Tom Gulick, Terry Garcia, Vincent Smith, Don Gleesing, Matt Heinen, Mark Rohde, Standing: Gerald Eurich, Mike Rose, Rick Bushre, Scott Laurenz, Stuart Goodyear, Jerry Aldrich, Mike Bushre, Rick Brown, Gary Rose, Craig Wright. Lower left: Matt Heinen shows disgust at being thrown out at second. Center right: Stuart Goodyear tags his man at third base. Lower right: Cold weather and strategy concern Coach Jim Connell.
Upper left: Rick Bushre prepares to show the batter his fast ball. Left: Steve Clapp gets another hit. Above: Players head back to the school after winning a tough game.



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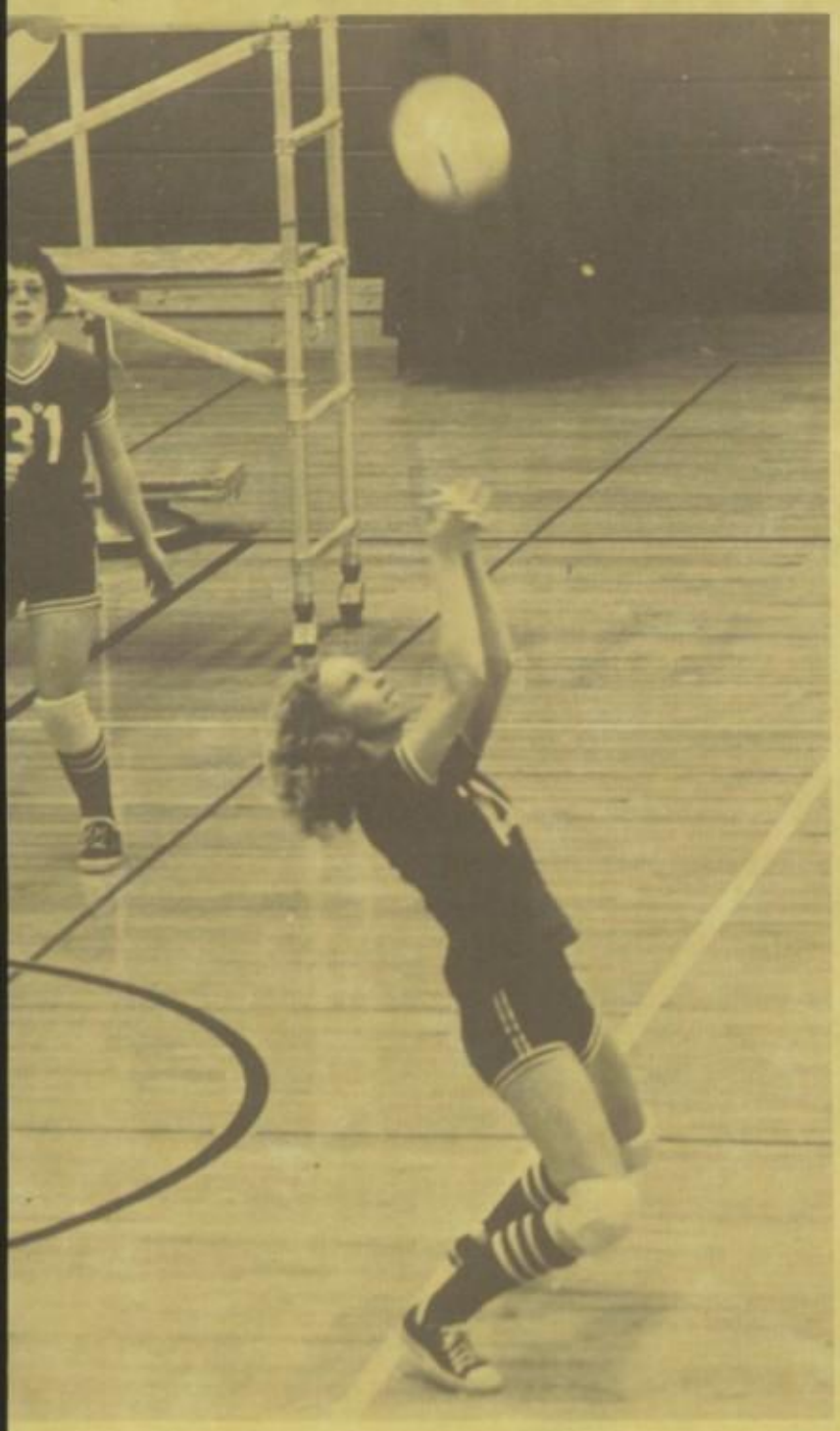
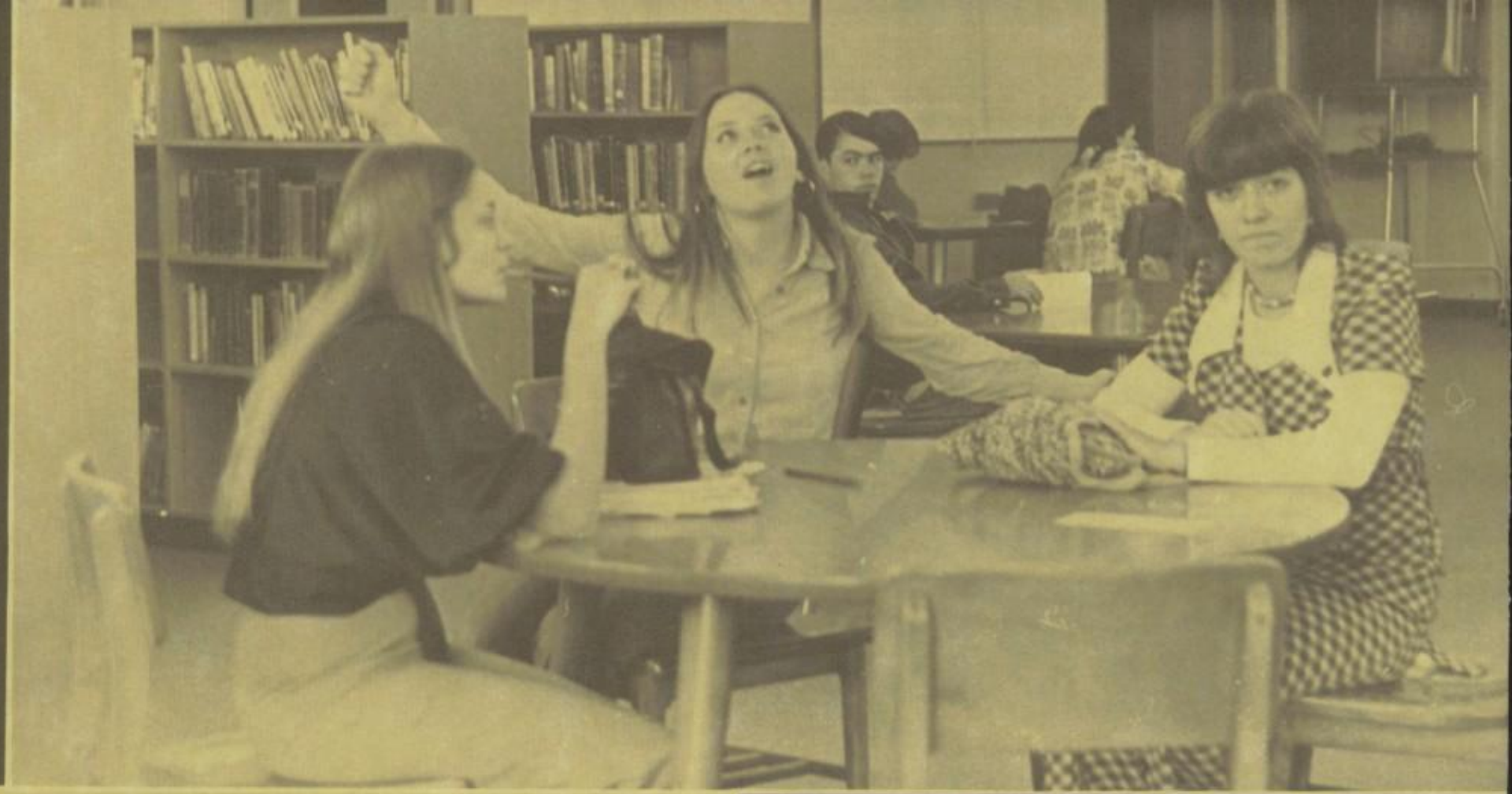


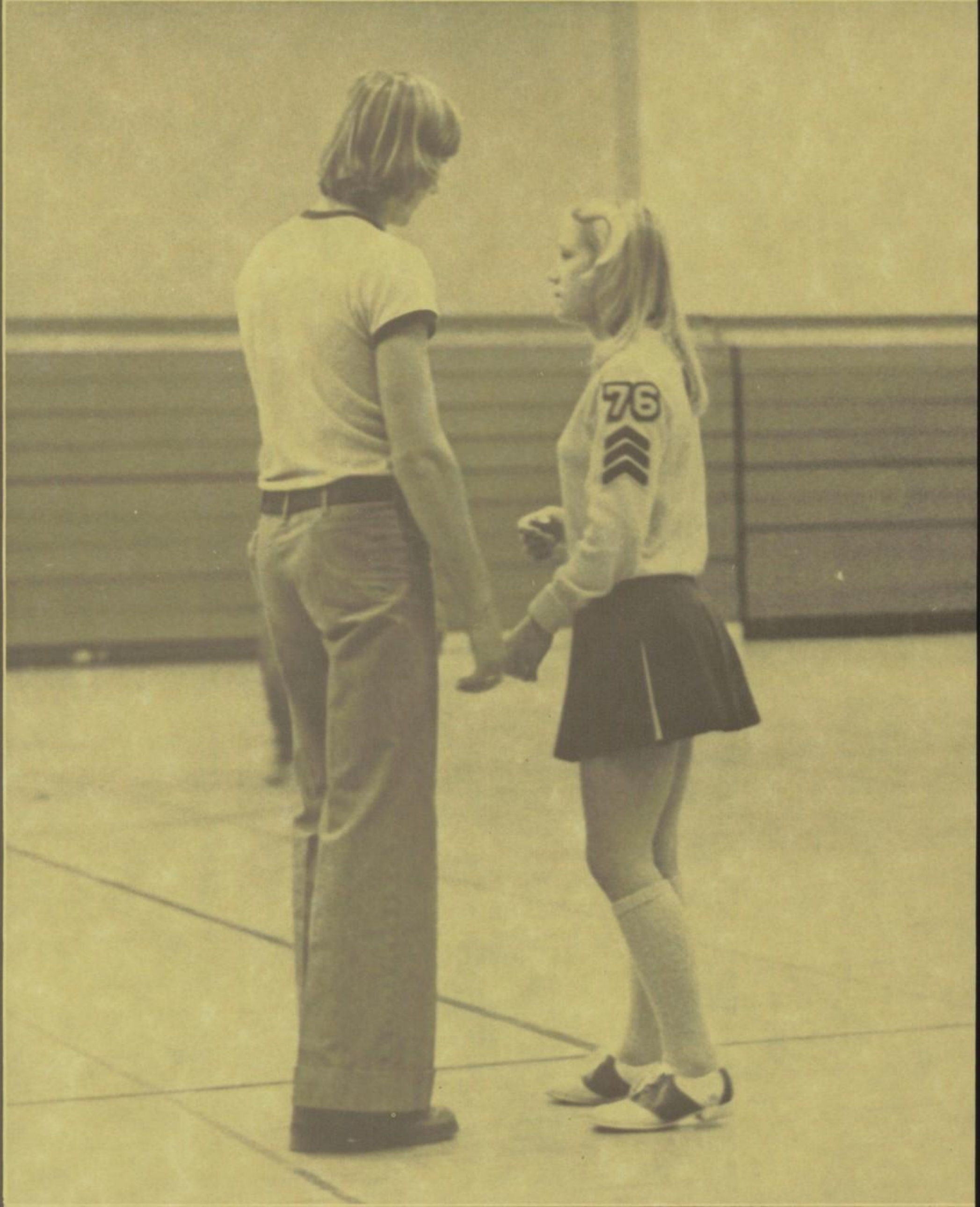
B.H.S. Students Shine In Special Olympics

a chance for recognition...
...individual glory
...spirit...cheering...team work
...Gratiot County Meet...April 19, 20...
...BHS...first place
...lunch donated by McDonald's
...Regional competition...May 1st
...State Meet...CMU...June 3-6...
...seven Huskie contenders

Upper left: Mr. McCallum talks with the BHS participants at CMU. Center left: Bill Harcourt winds up for the softball throw. Left: Carlus Doty wins first place in the 50 yard dash, which qualifies him for State competition. Above: Vivian Thomas proudly accepts 1st place ribbon for the Frisbie throw at the Regional level.



Seniors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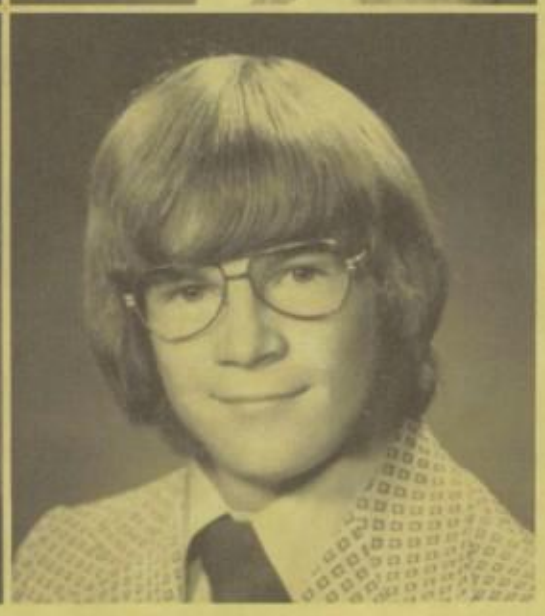
"We Made the Best of Our Last Year"

Seniors... spirit of '76...
...finally made it to the top
...class colors... red, white, and blue
...class flower... red rose
...Donkey Basketball... Skip Day
...victory in Senior-Faculty game...
...second straight year
...Honors Assembly changed to Banquet Night
...Graduation... all-night party
..."Cherish yesterday, dream tomorrow, live today."

Rose Anguiano

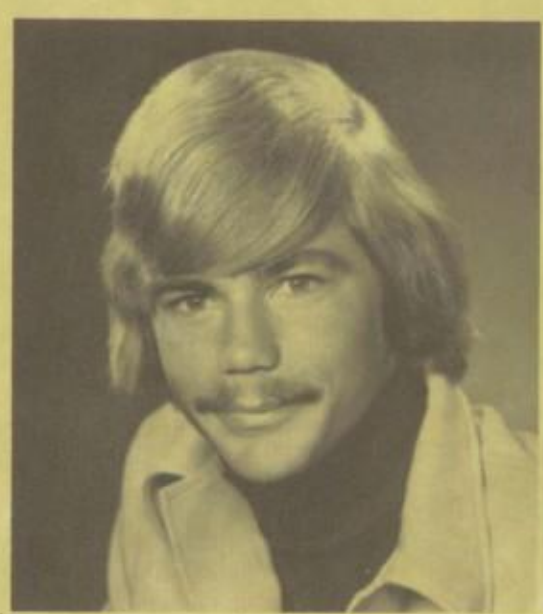
Vicki Bailey
Nancy Baldwin

Kathy Battley
Tom Bayes

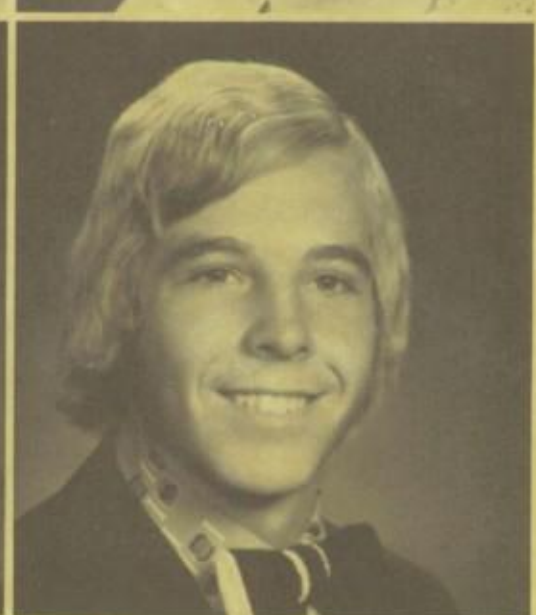


Opposite page, top: Shawn Spaulding checks to make sure she has enough announcements. Bottom: Van Colthorp suffers through cap and gown measurements. Left: Senior class officers - - Treasurer Anita Ramirez, Vice President Deb Stoneman, Secretary Sheila Ward, Publicity Chairman Carol Stover, President Sharon Tuck.

Amy Betz
Jill Brown
Eldon Burkett

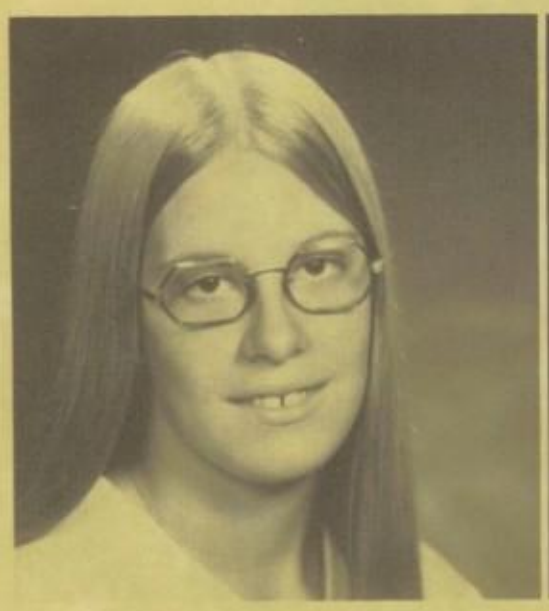


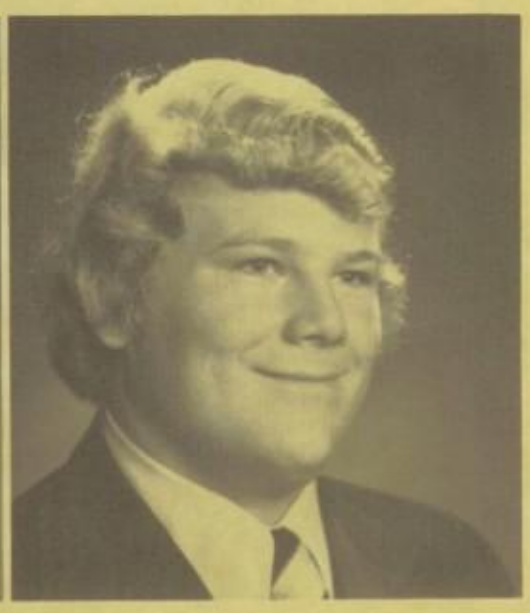
Bob Burt
Kim Burtch



Claudia Bushre
Rick Bushre

Sandy Bushre
Rich Champine

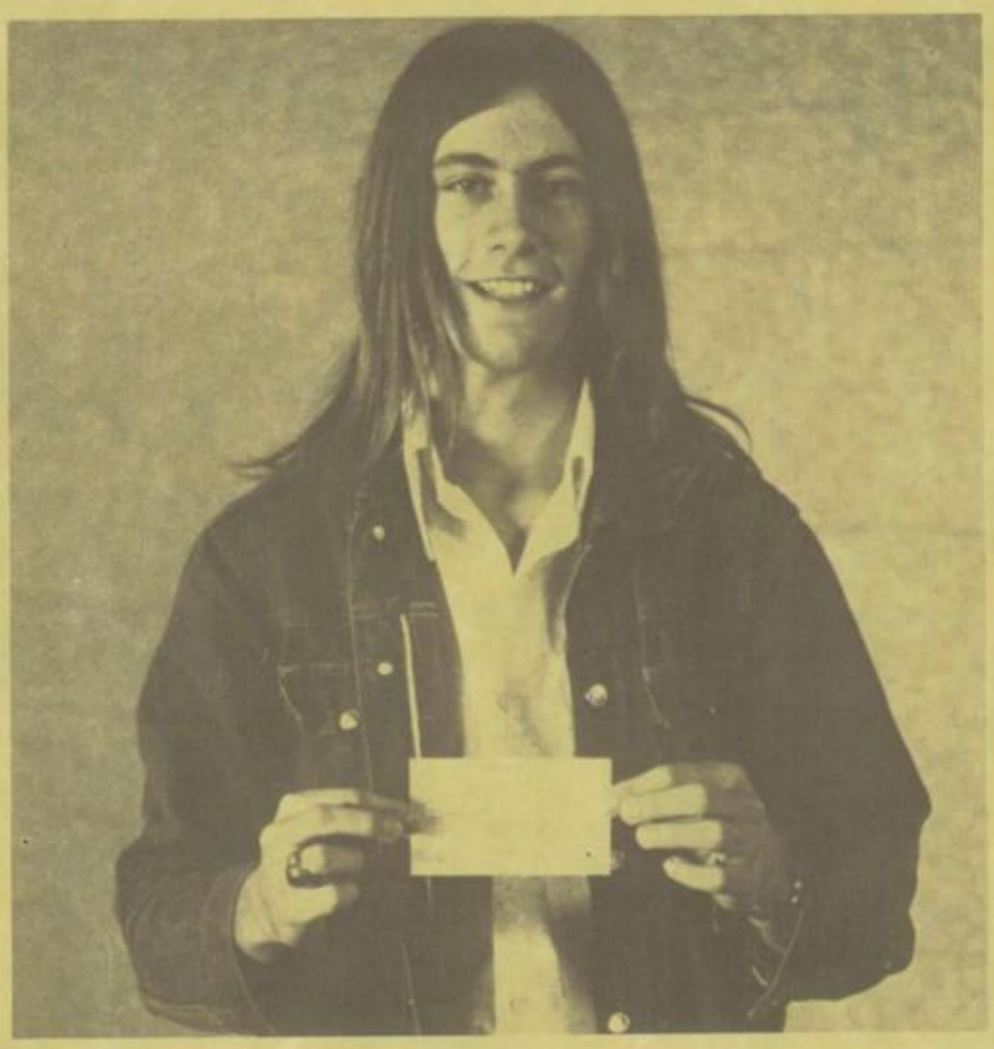




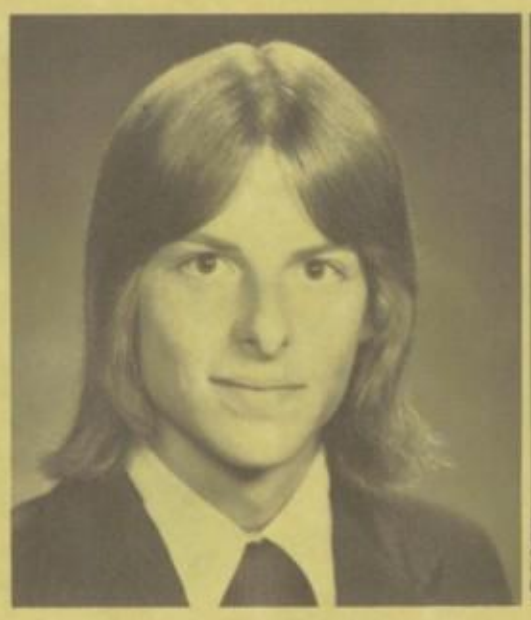
"We Had the Spirit of '76"

Steve Clapp

Sue Cochran



Top: Fred Garcia nonchalantly observes the commotion at the other end of the gym. Center left: Mike Bigelow doesn't let a yellow slip from the office get him down. Center right: Steff Hite waits as Penny Howd orders her classmates into action. Right: Jamie Letts, Colleen Wertz, and Sheila Ward discuss their weekend activities.



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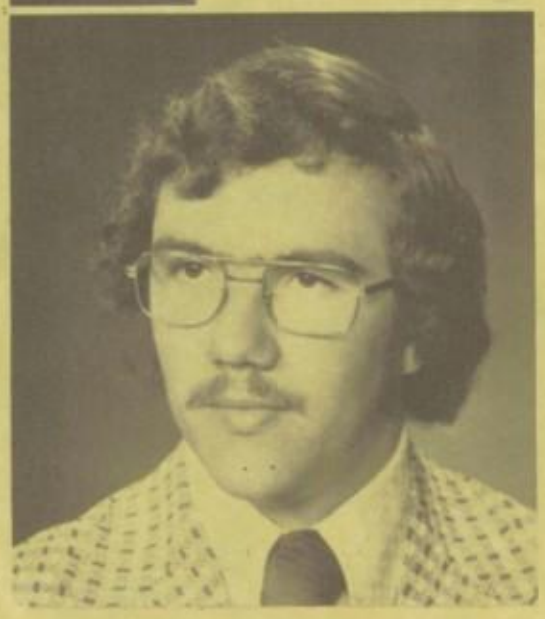
Dave Coyle

Diane Dancer



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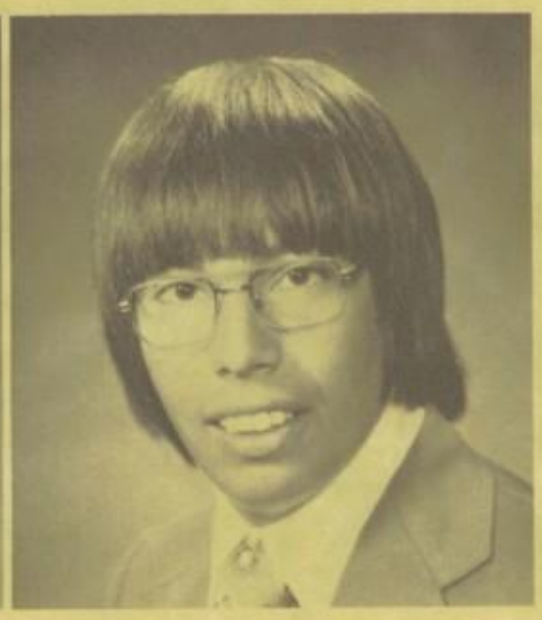

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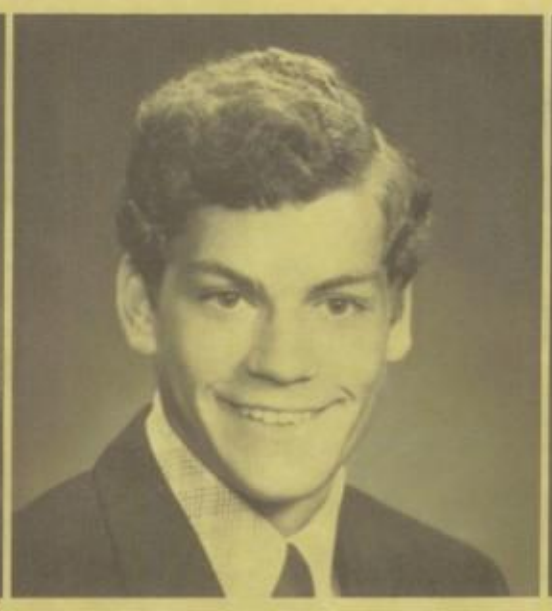
Greg Estrada

Deb Eurich
Greg Eurich
Sandy Fetters



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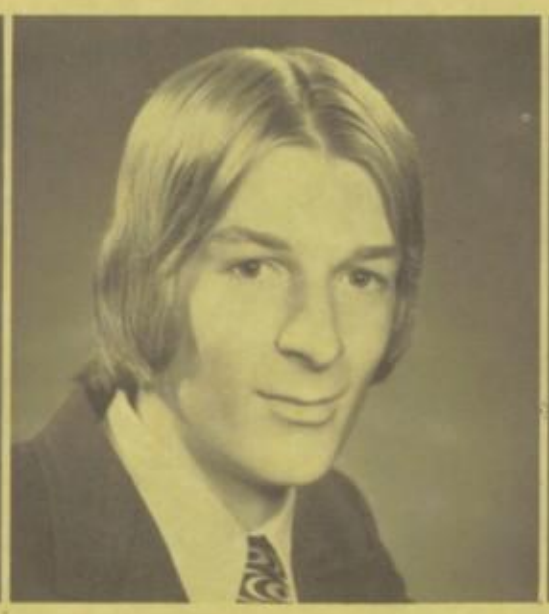
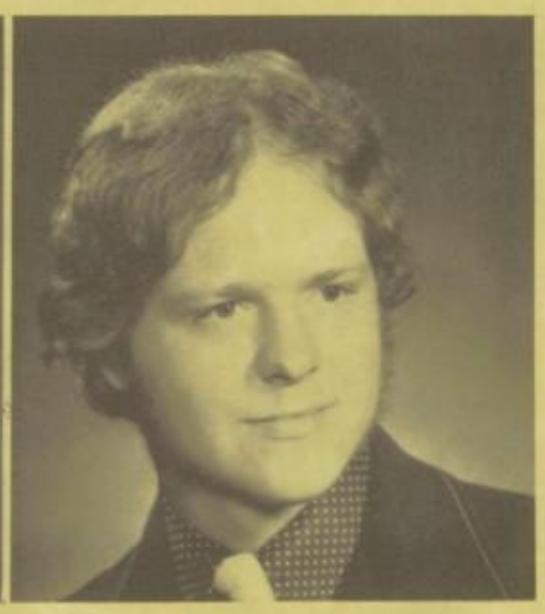
Barry Gaines

Fred Garcia
Stuart Goodyear

Janet Grombik
Jill Gronda
Sheri Haworth

Matt Heinen
Keith Herrington
Kevin Hite

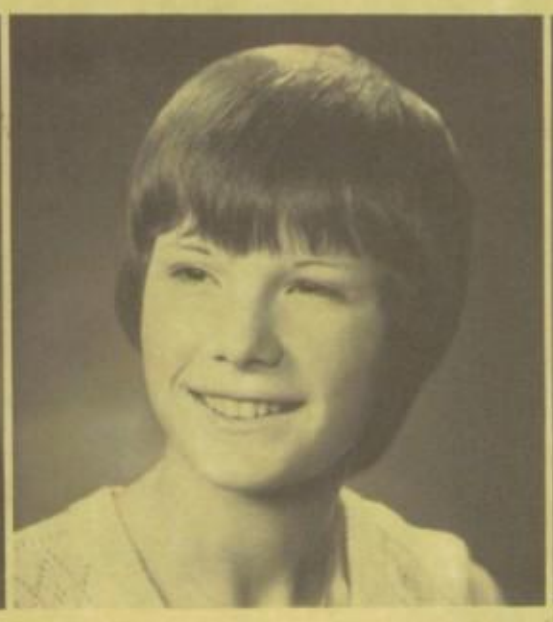
"This Was Our Year..."

Upper left: Sandy Mecomber, Jill Brown, Carla Wells, and Jay Pulliam wait impatiently to order their caps and gowns. Left: Getting a good grade on his Phys. Ed. test is important to Doug Londry. Upper right: Unaware that they are being watched, Vicki Bailey and Anita Ramirez eat their lunch in silence. Above: Senior Powderpuff king candidates sit nervously while being introduced.

"...For Sharing Good Times and Bad"

Steff Hite

Ruth Hoffman
Cathy Way Horvat
Penny Howd



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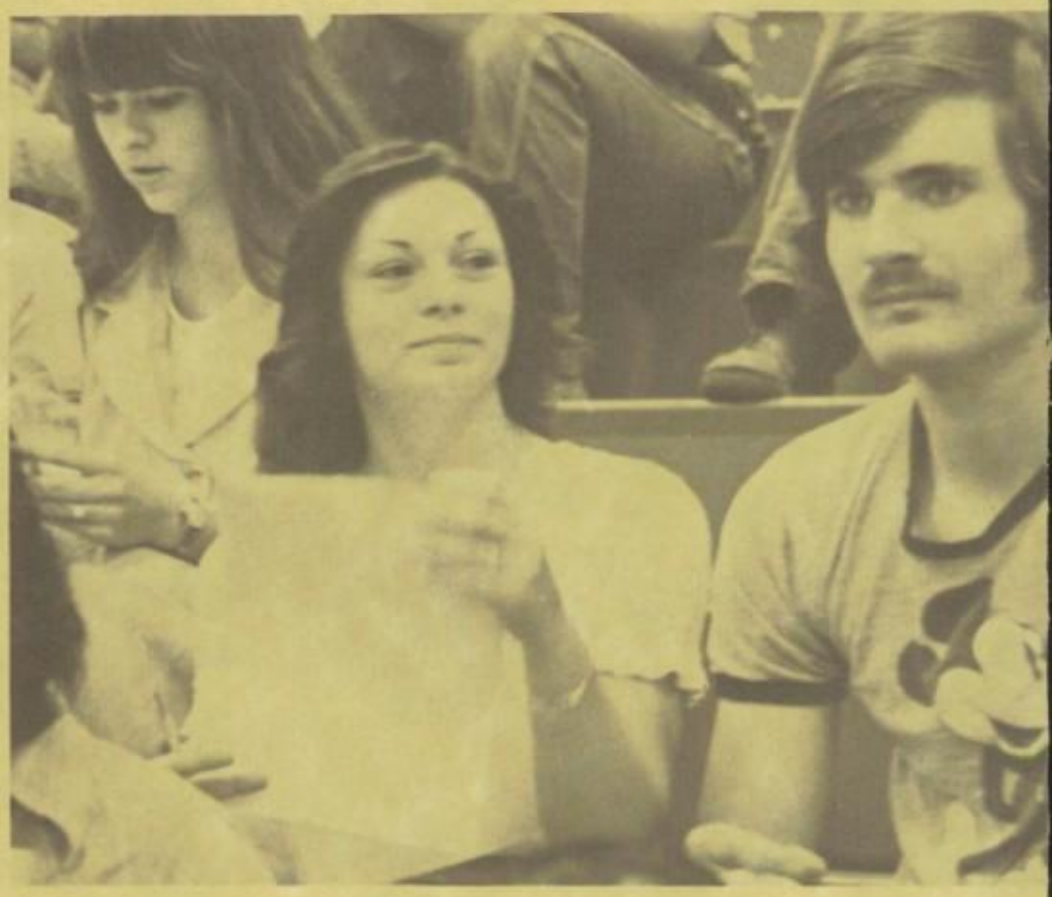
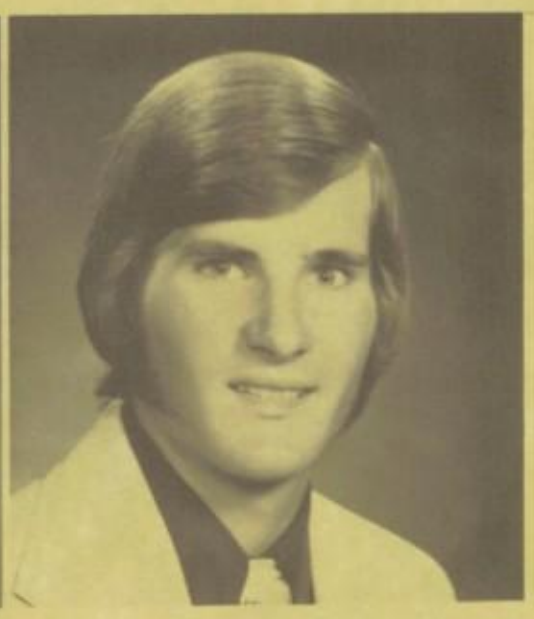


Top: Pacing the floor is one way Keith Herrington copes with boredom. Right: Ruth Hoffman and Neil Jenkins are one couple that stand out in a crowd. Center: Spring is here, and Rick Nagel doesn't waste any time getting outside. Far right: Jill Gronda isn't sure which way she wants to go, and neither is her donkey.



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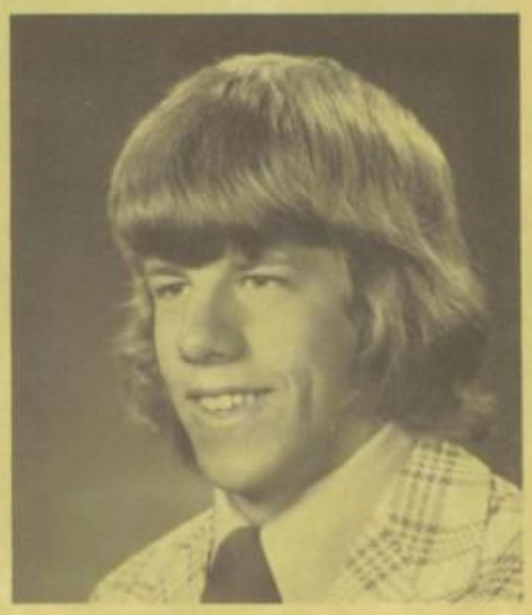
Kathy Jackson
Neil Jenkins

Sandie Kaufman

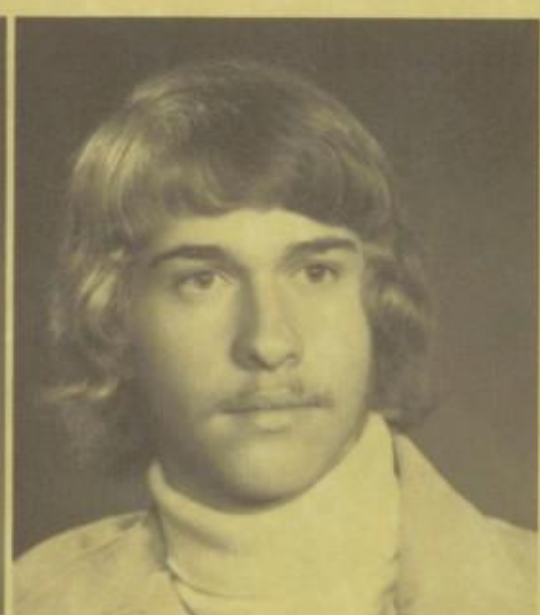
Kim Kleinhans



Ken Krueger

Kristi Lange
Doug Londry

Julie Londry
Bob Mecomber



"We're Going Our Separate Ways..."

Sandy Mecomber

Right: Surprising things lurk around corners, as Colleen Wertz will tell you. Top: Honor Students--Front row: Nancy Baldwin, Jill Brown, Sandy Mecomber, Mary Fleming, Laura Williams, Pam Saunders, Deb Stoneman, Kim Burtch. Second row: Jodie Welsh, Bob Burt, Steve Poindexter, Matt Heinen, Ken Krueger, Ken Neitzke, Doug Oberst, Eldon Burkett. Back row: Carole Rose, Anita Ramirez, Rosie Riggie, Vicki Bailey, Kathy Battley, Lorri Shankel, Shawn Spaulding, Kim Kleinhans, Judy Nelson, Rose Anguiano, Ruth Hoffman. Far right: Pam Saunders and Mary Fleming find they are the only two in class on club meeting days.

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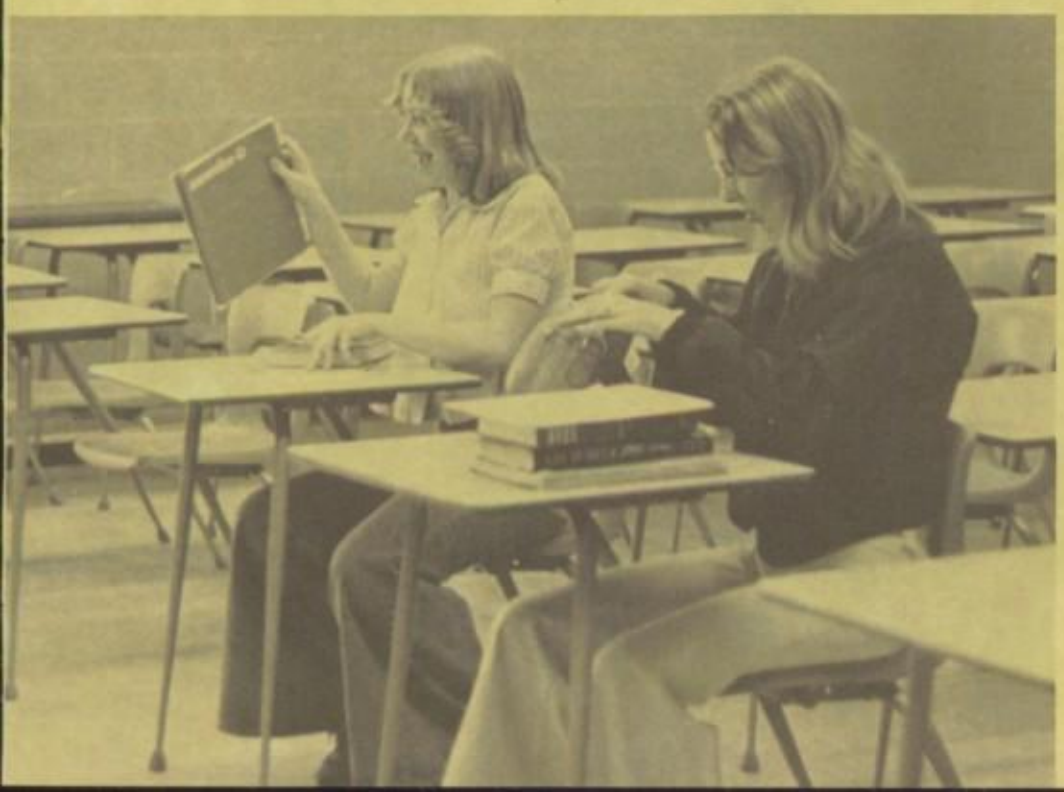
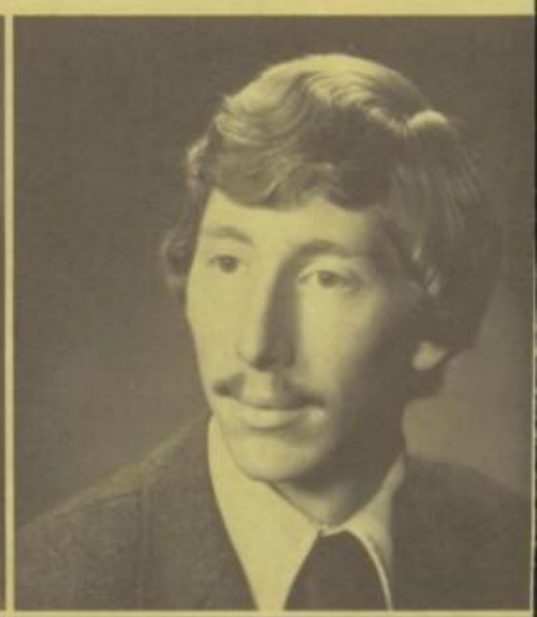
Bonnie Mizer

Rita Musselman
Pat Myers
Rick Nagel



Ken Neitzke

Judy Myers Nelson
Lynn Nicholson
Doug Oberst



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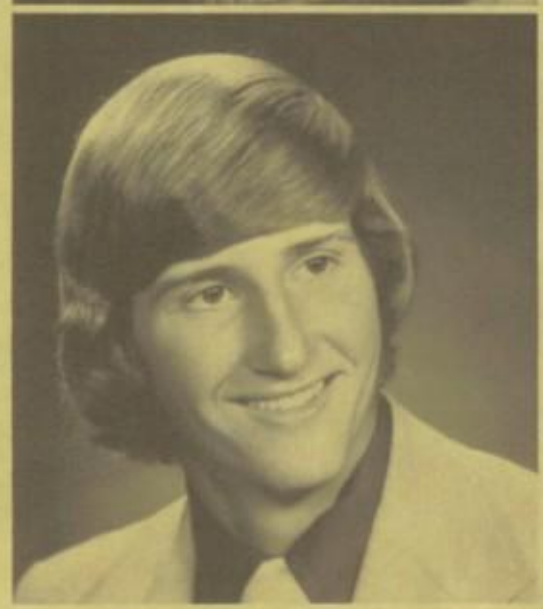
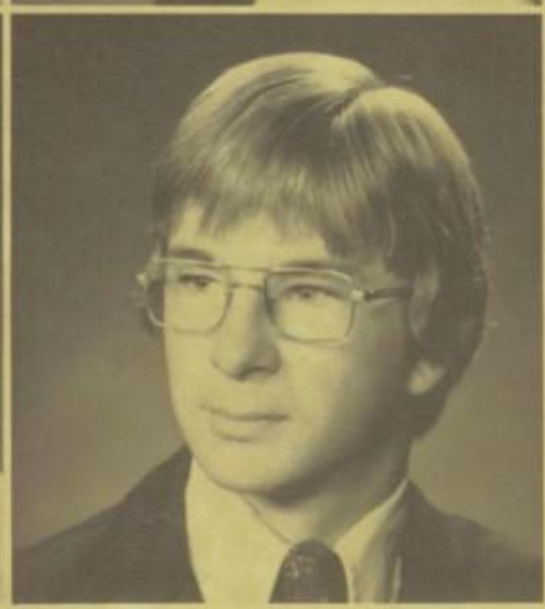
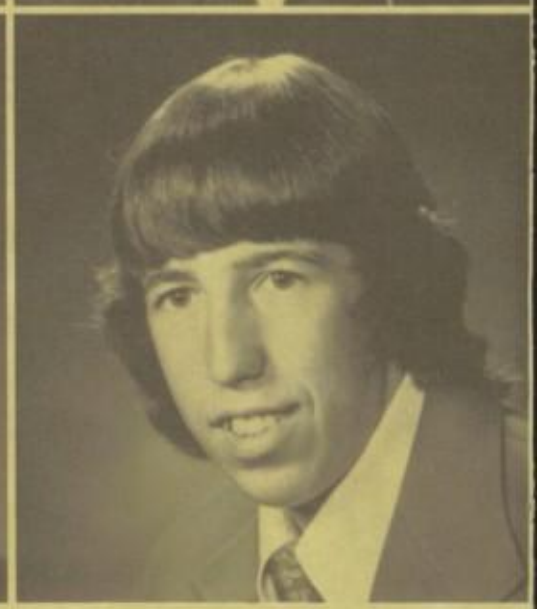
Kevin Posey
Bill Post

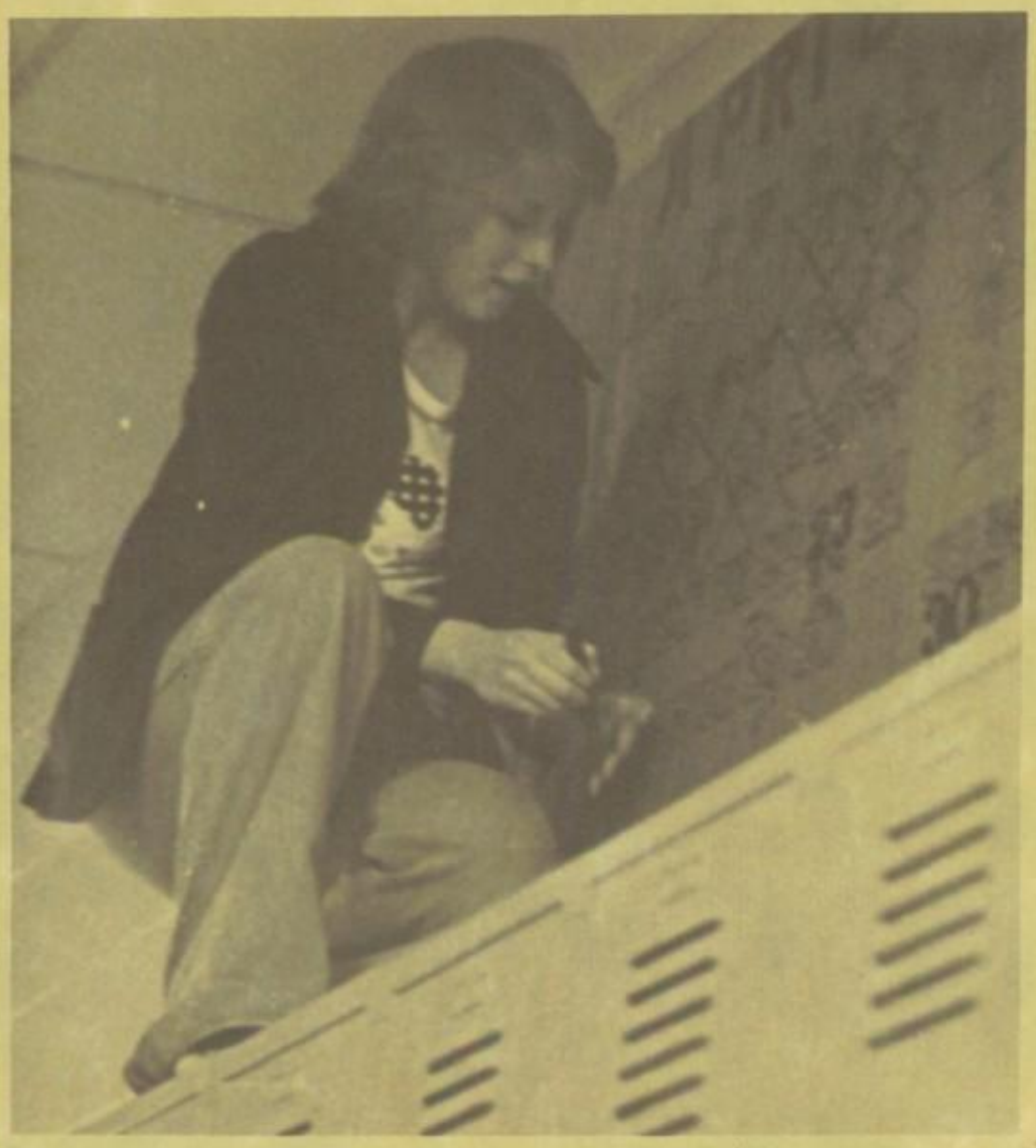






Jay Pulliam

"...But We'll Take Our Memories With Us"

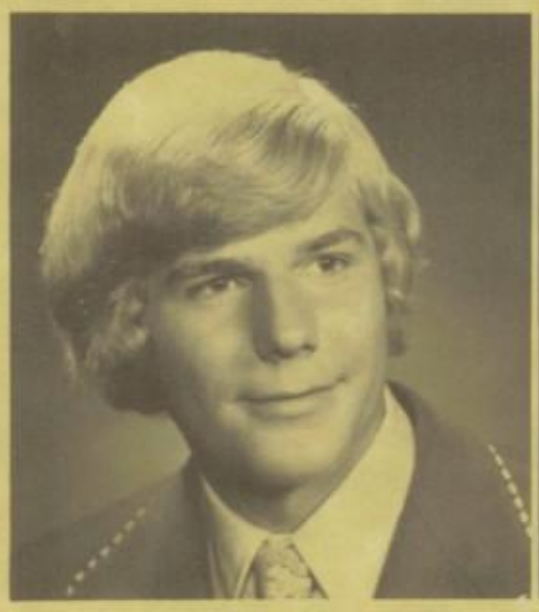


Opposite page, left: Diane Dancer, Karen Rittenour, Rita Musselman, and Jill Brown anxiously await the bell. Right: Cutting cakes is Lorri Shankel's specialty.
Left: Sheila Ward marks off the days until graduation. Above: Rosie Riggie gets a kick out of Stuart Goodyear's attempts to perform a floor cheer.

Anita Ramirez
Sue Riedel
Rosie Riggie

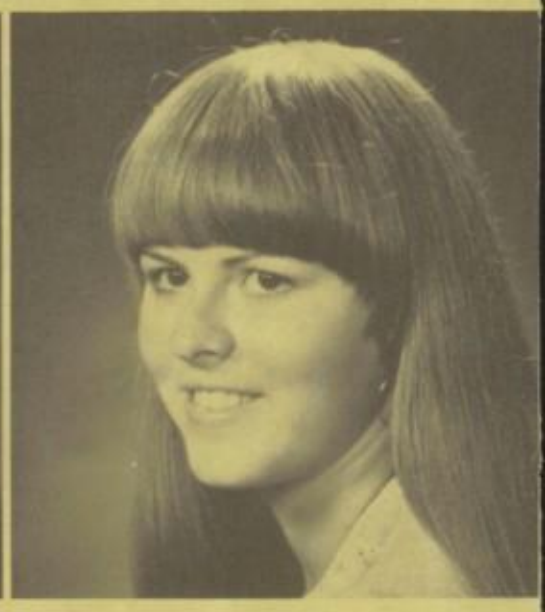
Karen Rittenour
Ronnie Rohde
Carole Rose

Right: Ken Krueger chows down after the National Honor Society induction ceremony. Lower right: Duane Toner and Chris Ward look over the list of possibilities for the Senior Mock Elections. Opposite page, top: The "Huskie Highlights" captures the attention of Kim Kleinhans. Lower left: Baking it may be half the fun, but Lynn Nicholson can't wait to get her pie cut so she can taste it. Lower right: A hard-working reporter, Greg Estrada always gets his stories in on time.



Ken Samalik

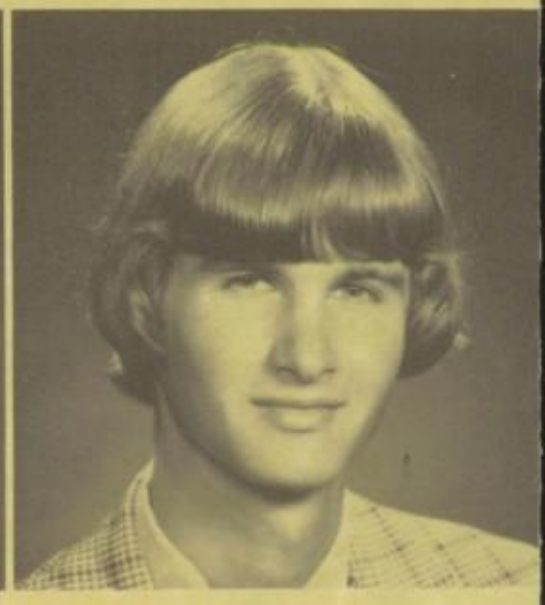
Pam Saunders



Lorri Shankel

Ken Shelley

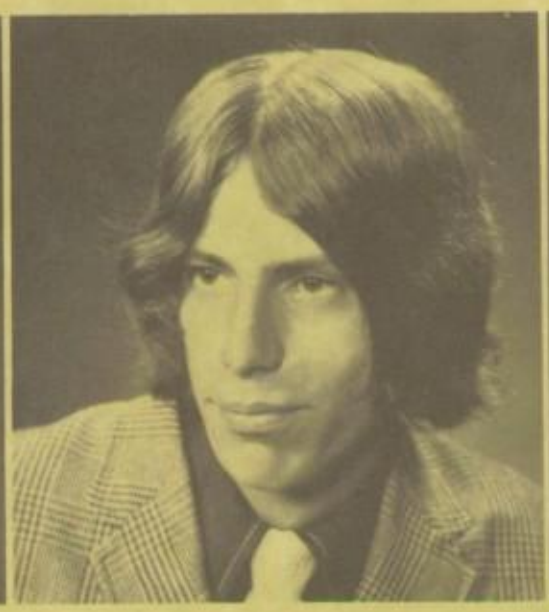
Shawn Spaulding

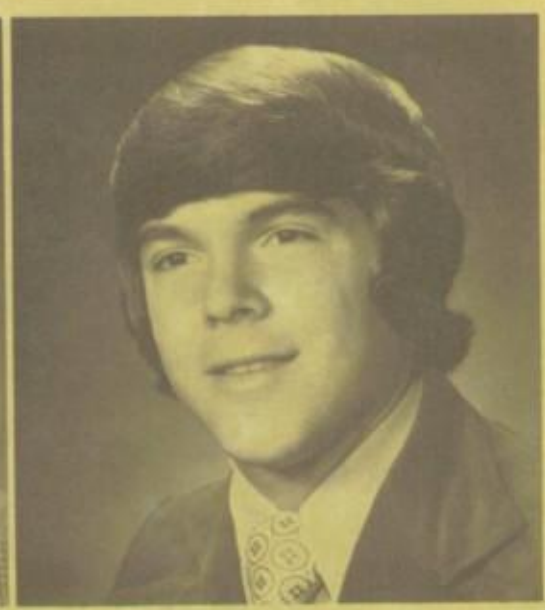


Steve Stellow

Deb Horvat Stoneman

"Life Was What We Made It"





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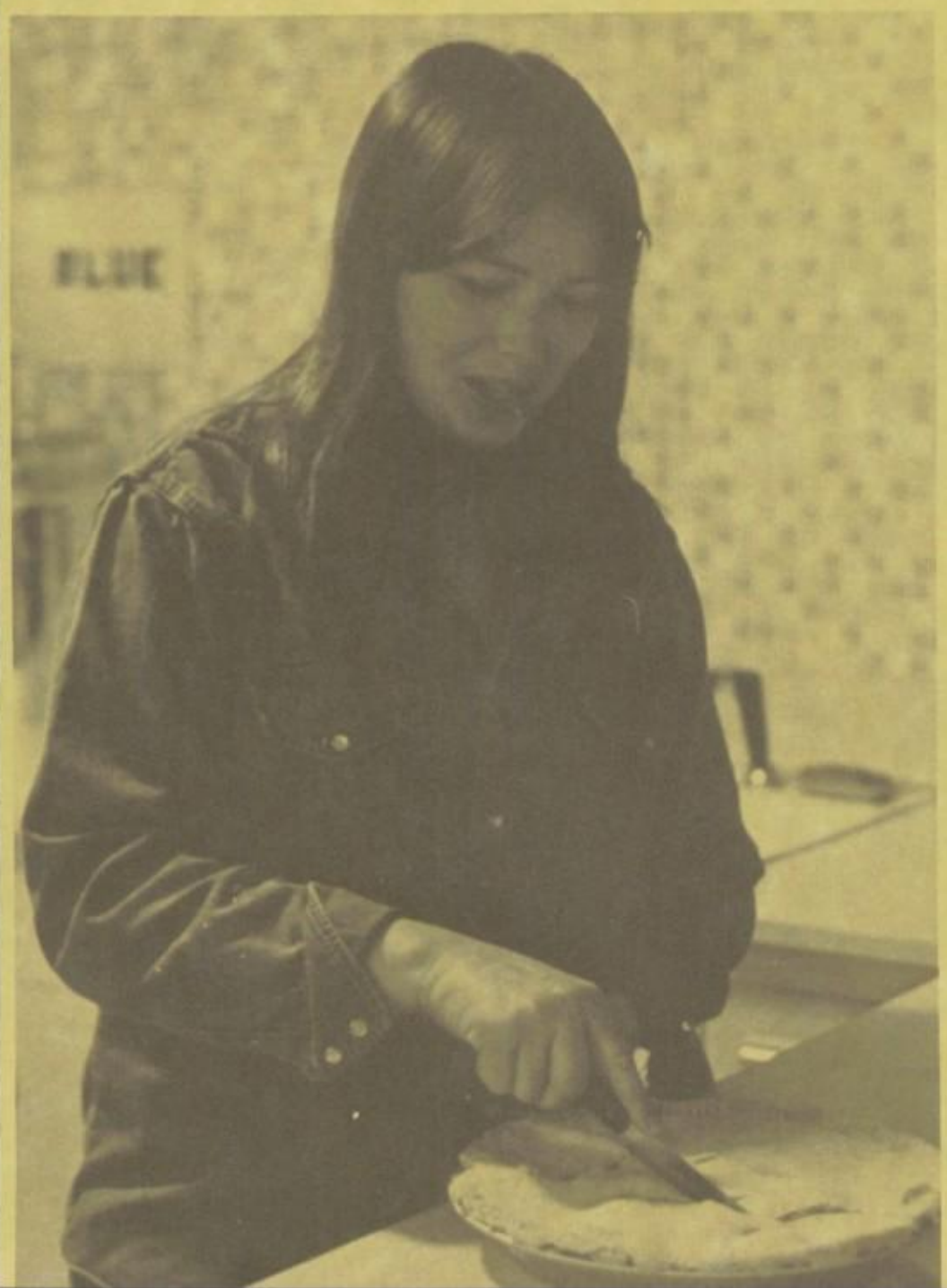
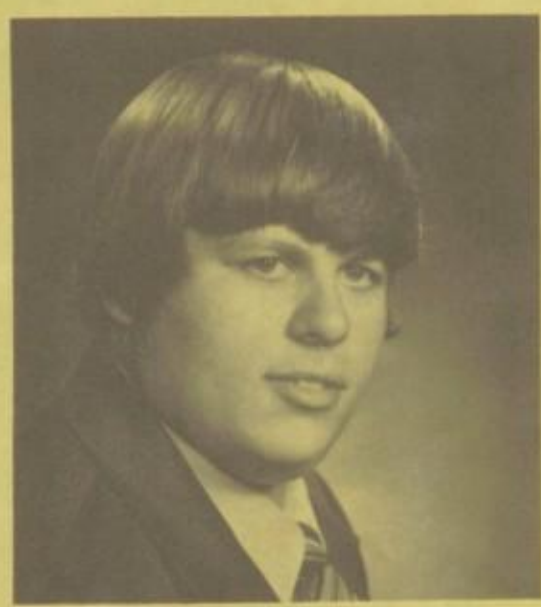
Keith Sumner
Bill Sweany

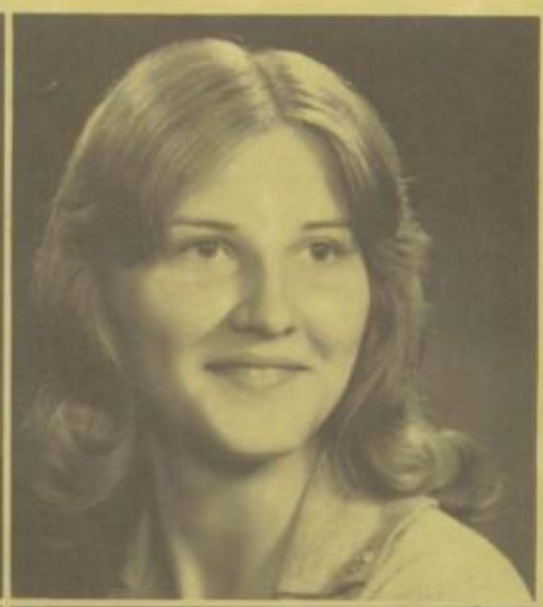




Russ Tesser

"A New Tomorrow Is Waiting"

Duane Toner
Tony Tousignant
Sharon Tuck



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Chris Ward
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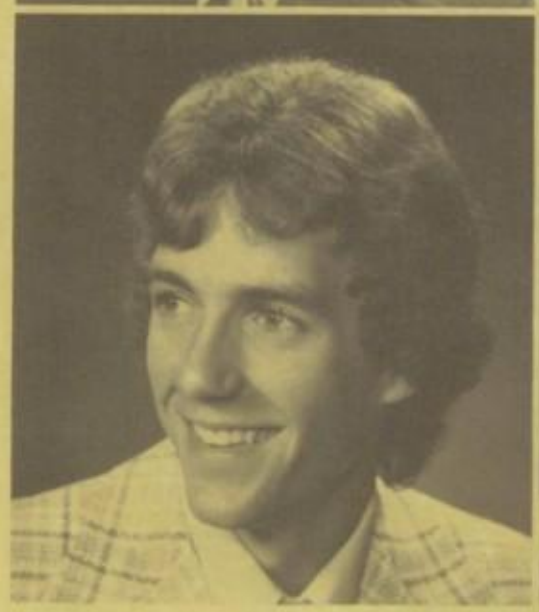
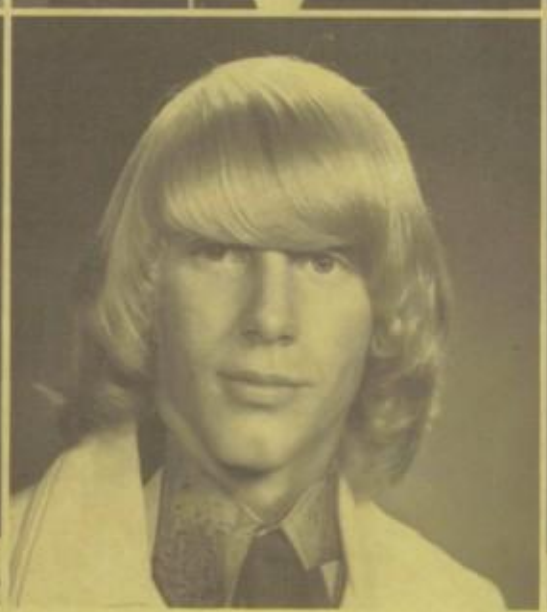
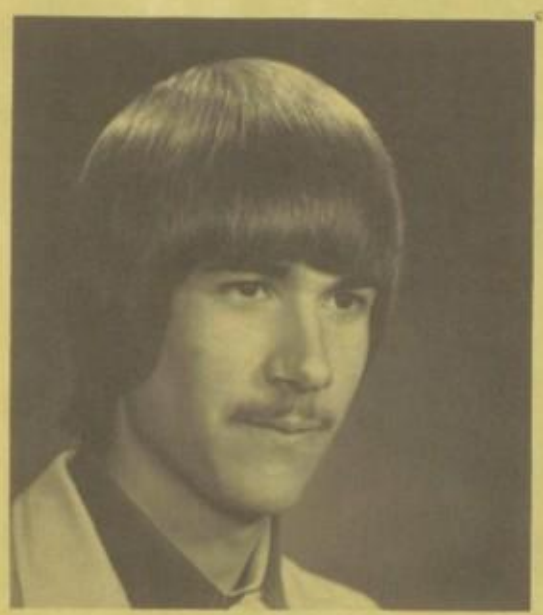
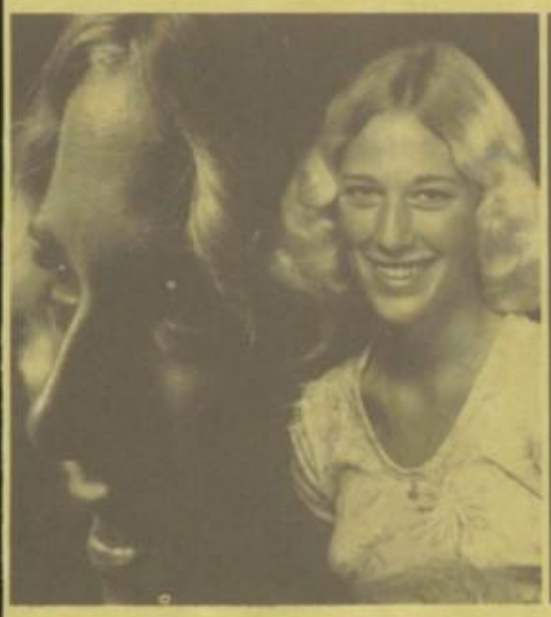




John Watson



Right: Reading her favorite magazine, Rose Anguiano is oblivious to rest of the world.
Opposite page, center: Kathy Jackson heads for her usual table after purchasing one of the delicious pizzas cooked in the school kitchen. Bottom: Russ Tesser, Bill Post, and Dave Coyle grin and bear it at yet another class meeting.



Carla Wells
Jody Welsh
Colleen Dean Wertz

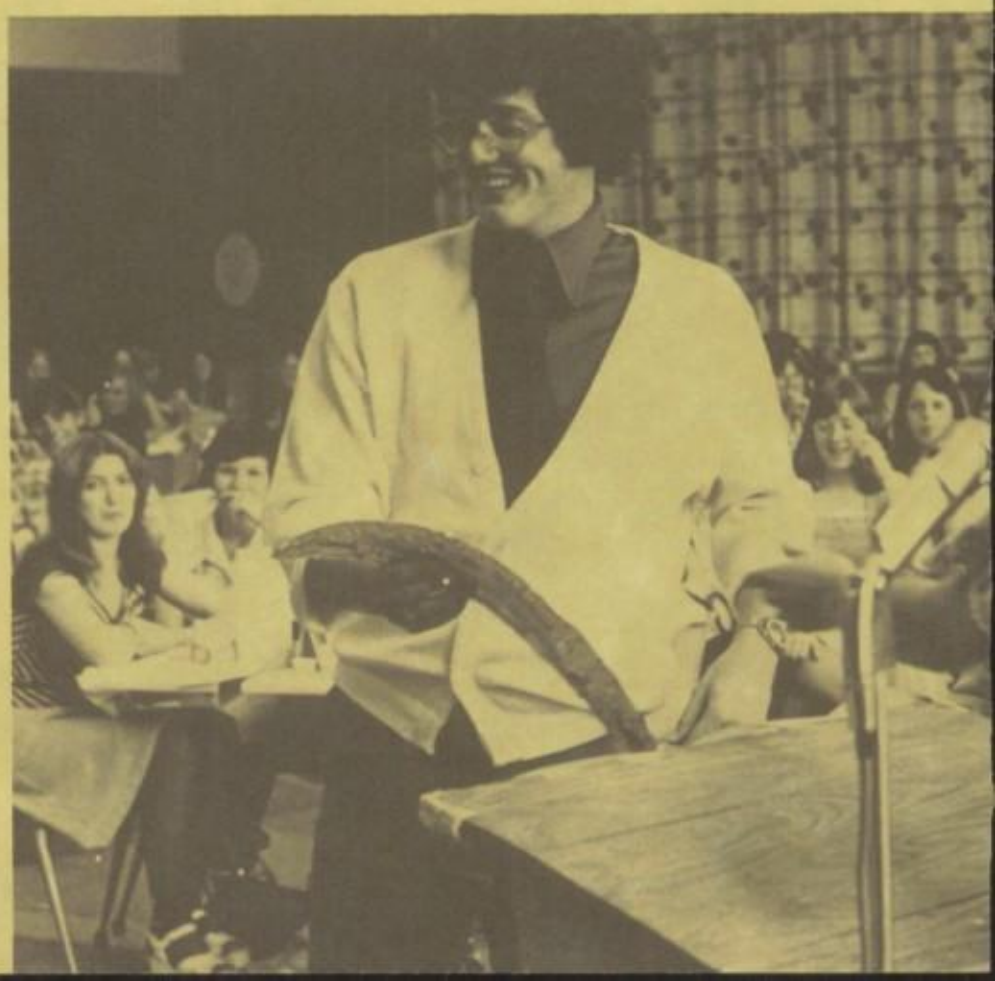
Laura Williams

Lez Zeitler

Missing Seniors are:
Dexter Black
Mike Bigelow
Jamie Letts
Nettie Peasley
Lonny Pickens

Jr.-Sr. Banquet..."Photographs And Memories"

Jr.-Sr. Banquet... May 27...
- ... financed by Junior class
- ... served by Sophomore girls
- ... main course... Swiss steak
- ... cherished memories... last good-byes
- ... Senior Class Wills... History... Prophecy
- ... Junior's Giftatory
- ... followed by Senior Honors Assembly

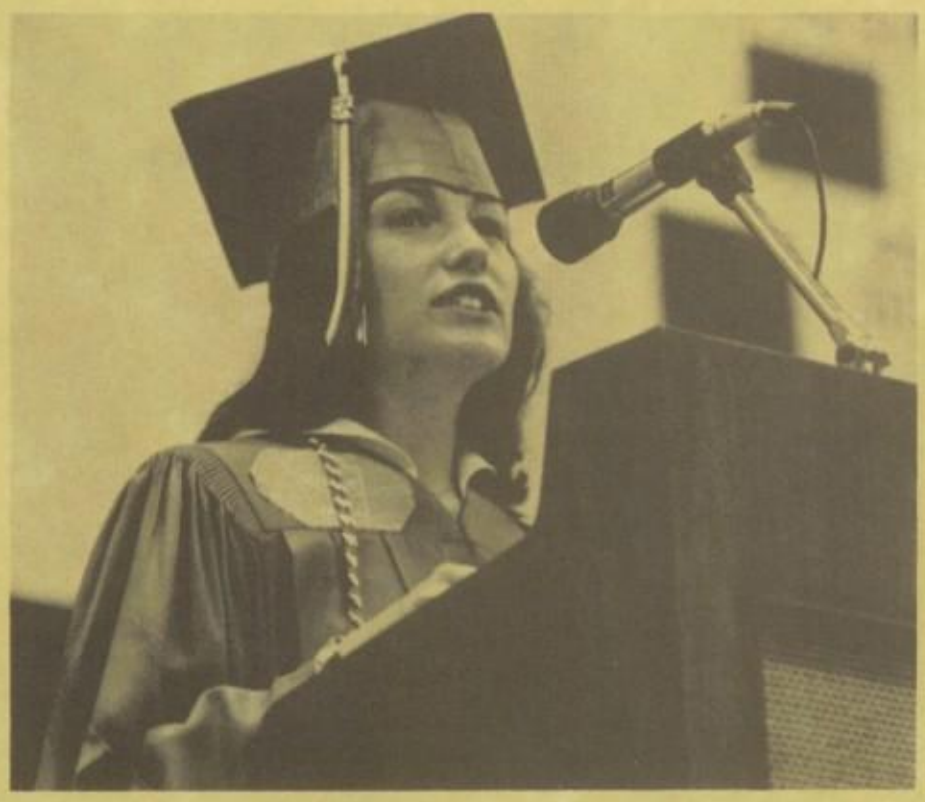


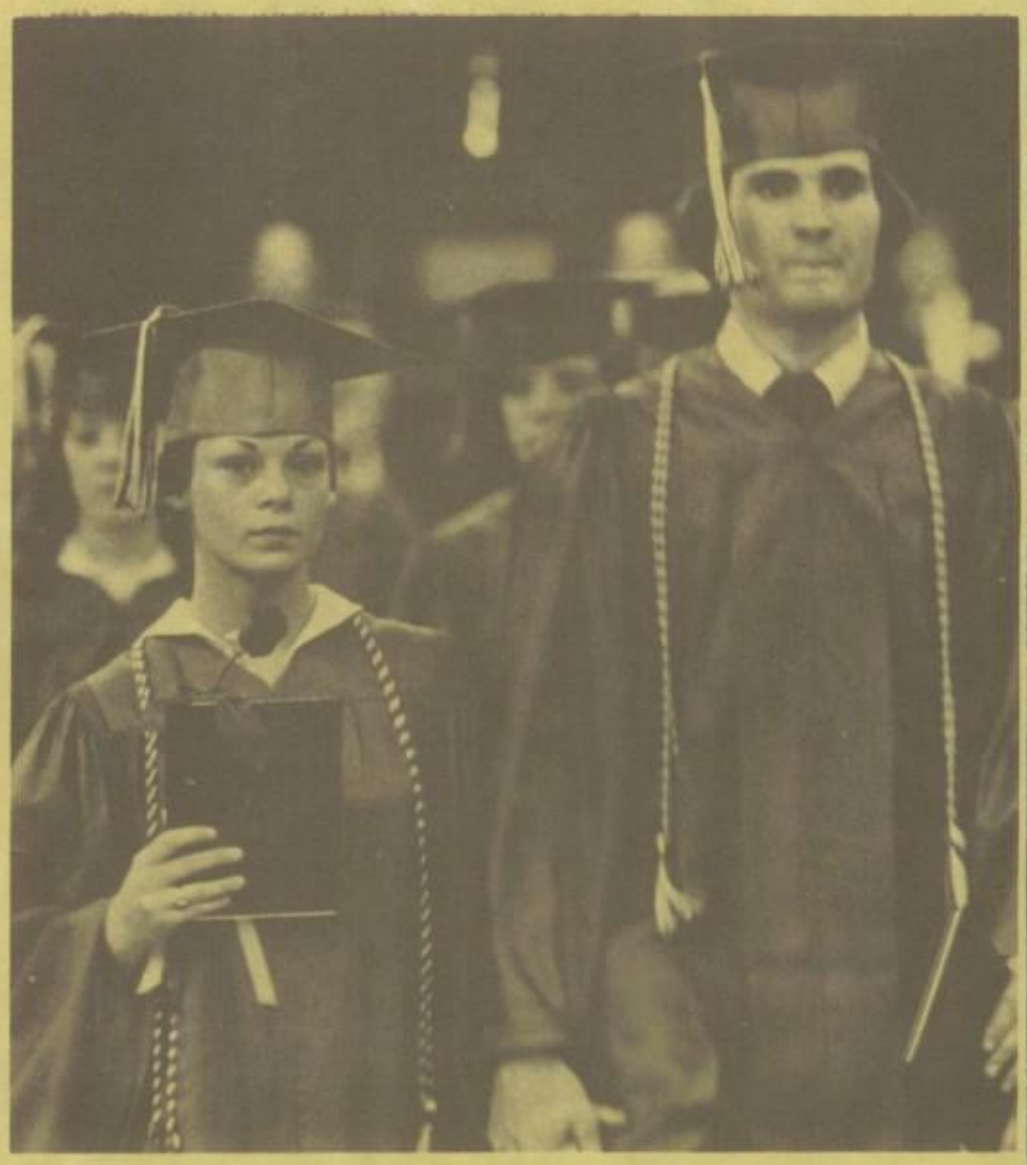
Upper left: Jay Pulliam and Ronnie Rohde get a laugh out of reading the Senior Class Wills. Above: A delicious meal was prepared for the banquet by the Junior Class mothers. Upper right: Childhood pictures of the Juniors and Seniors were used as name cards. Center right: Senior girls enjoyed the reading of the class prophecy. Right: Stu Goodyear received a memorable gift from the Junior Class.

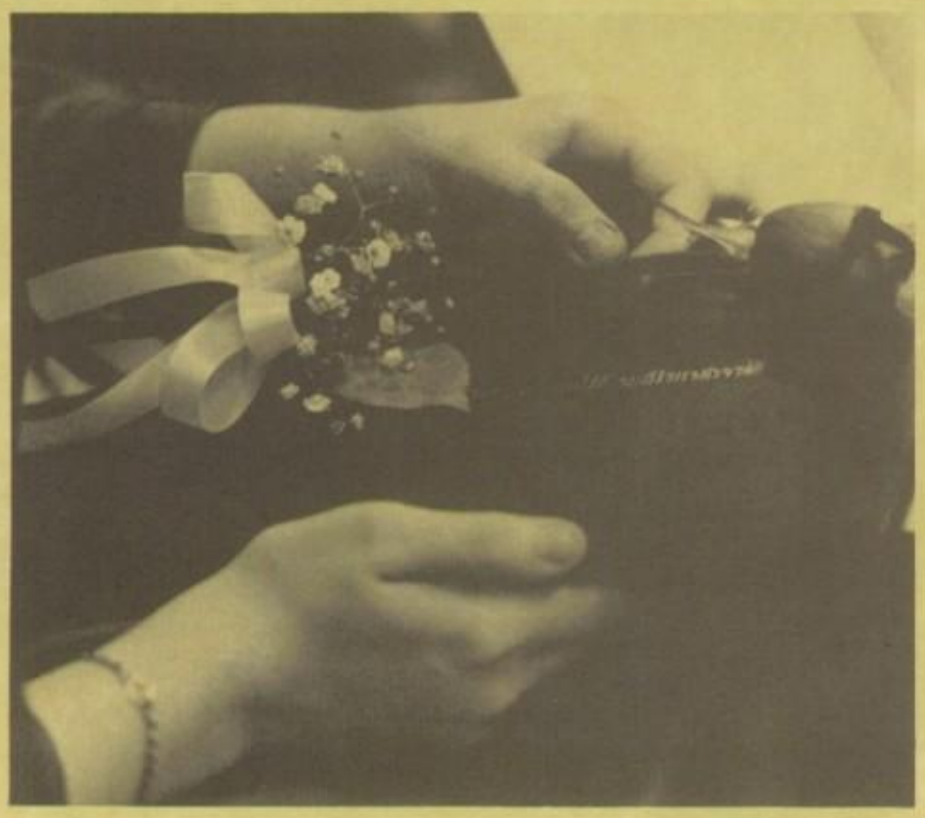
Seniors Honored At Evening Assembly

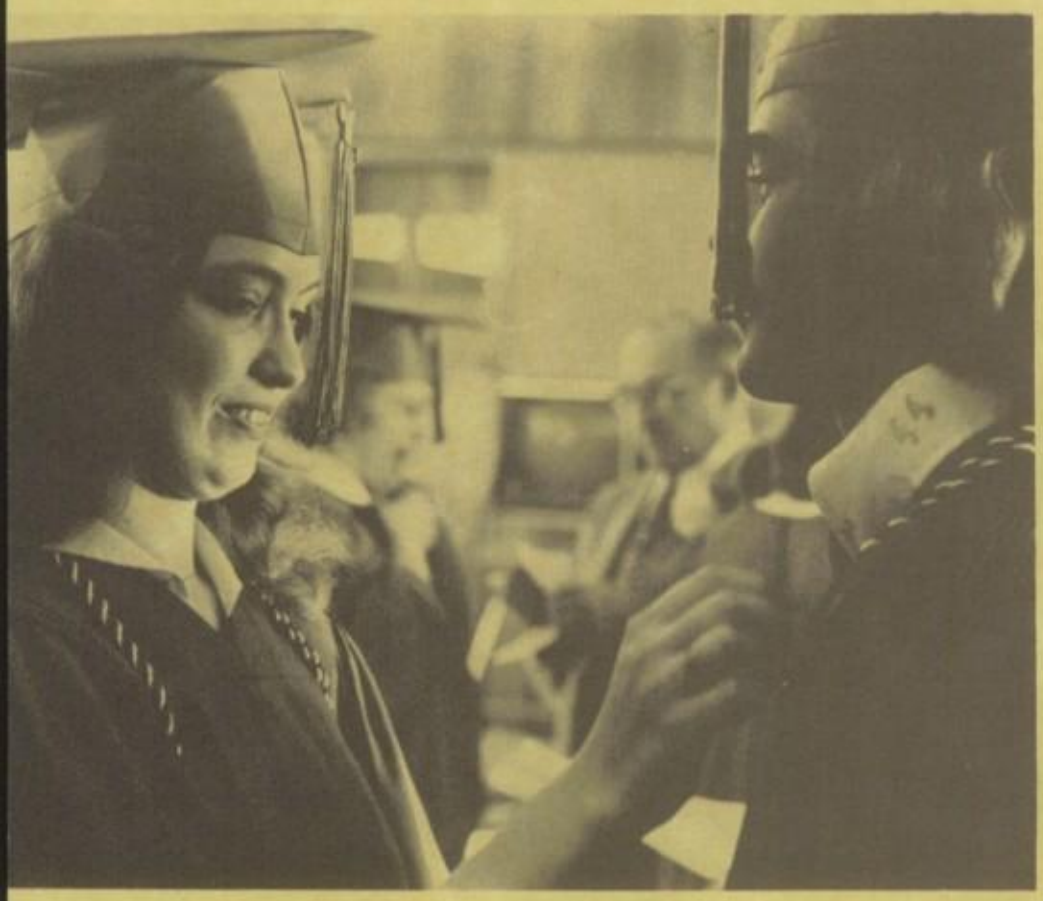
Senior Honors Assembly... May 27...
...All Sports Awards... Kim Kleinhans...
...Steve Poindexter
...Journalism Awards... Nancy Baldwin...
...Jill Gronda
...DAR Good Citizenship Award...
...Judy Myers Nelson
...Homecoming Queen Award... Rose Anguiano
...Business Education Awards... Vicki Bailey...
...Mary Jo Miller... Kathy Battley...
...Library Awards... Sue Riedel... Amy Betz...
...Sheri Haworth... Janet Grombik
...Family Leader of America Award...
...Judy Myers Nelson
...Senior Drama Award... Jay Pulliam
...Senior Vocal Music Award... Carol Stover
...John Phillip Sousa Award... Vicki Bailey
...Outstanding Senior Awards... Ken Krueger...
...Kim Kleinhans
...Deniece Wolfgang Memorial Citizenship Award...
...Judy Myers Nelson... Doug Oberst
...Ralph Hoyt Memorial Award... Neil Jenkins
...Accounting Awards... Lorri Shankel...
...Claudia Bushre... Kathy Battley...
...Rich Champine

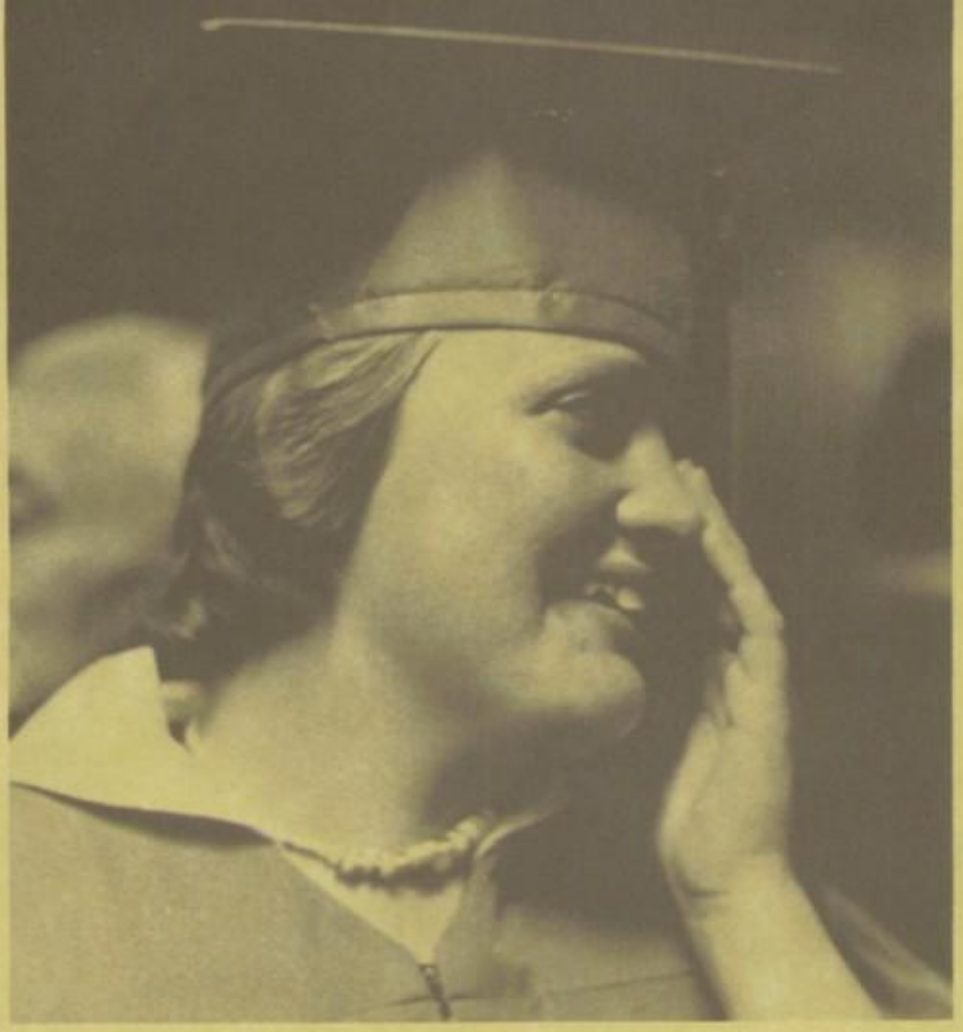
Upper left: 1975-76 Student Council President Judy Myers Nelson delivers a farewell speech at the Senior Honors Assembly. Center left: Jay Pulliam received the Senior Drama Award from advisor Dianne Young. Lower left: Doug Oberst and Sharon Tuck take pride in being part of the graduating class of "76". Below: Ken Krueger, Salutatorian, accepts the Outstanding Senior Boy Award.



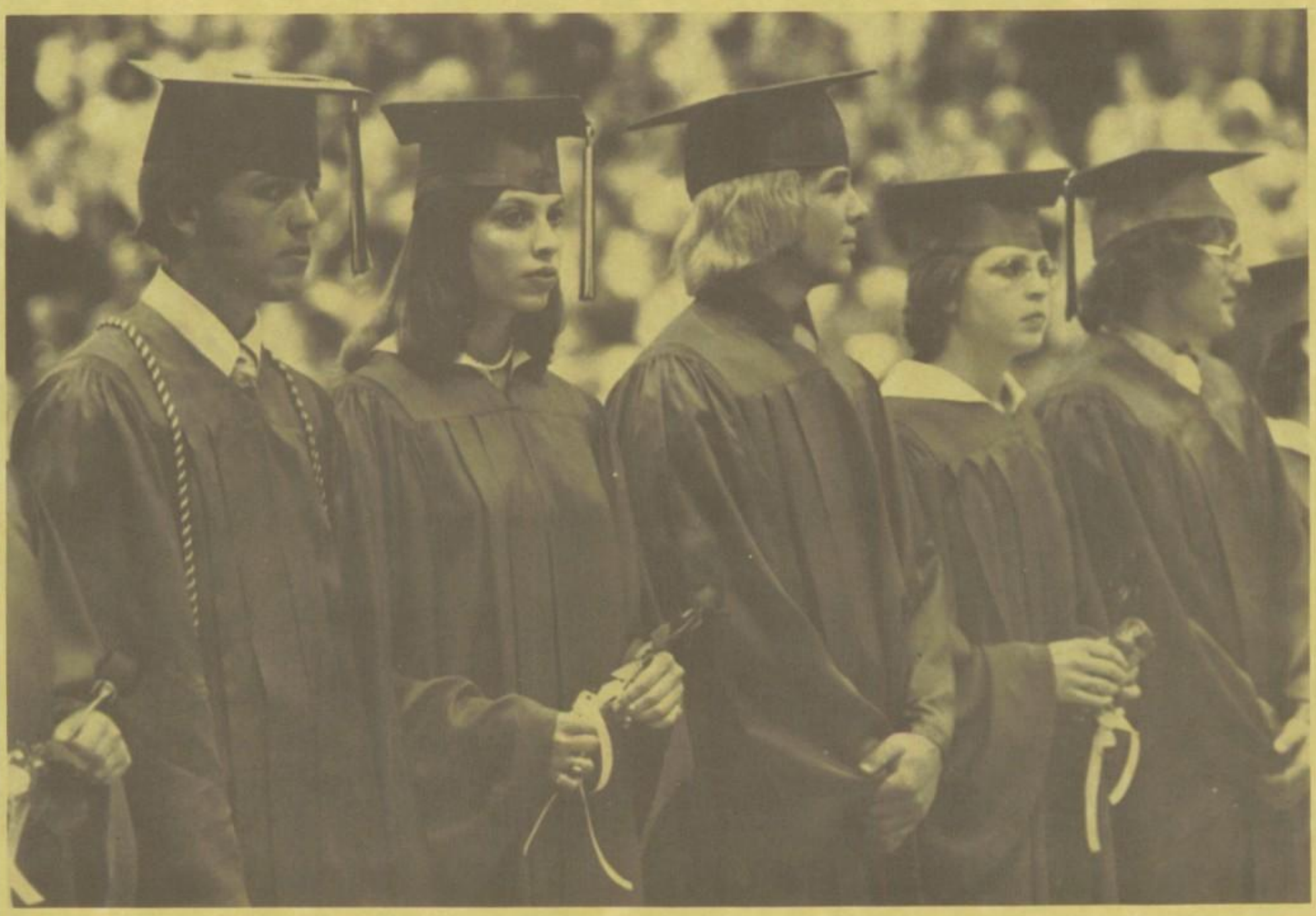




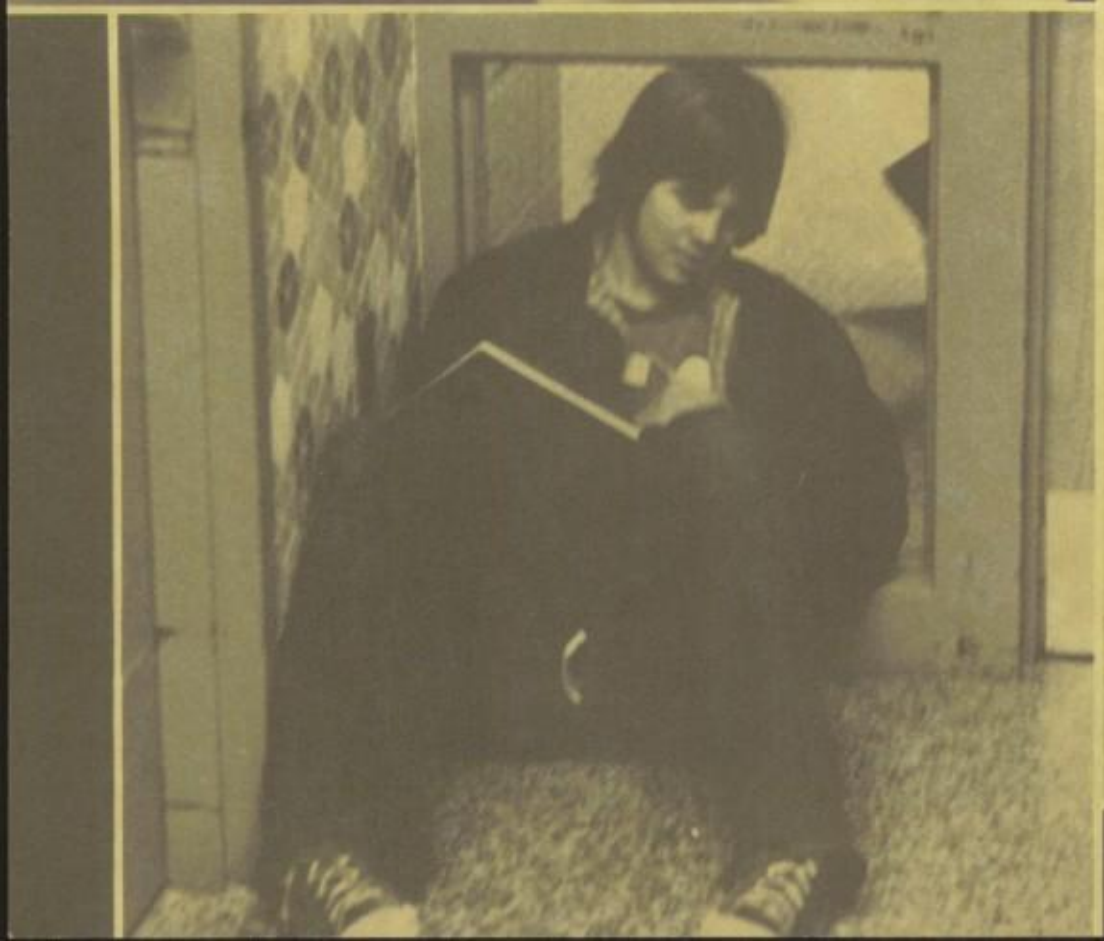


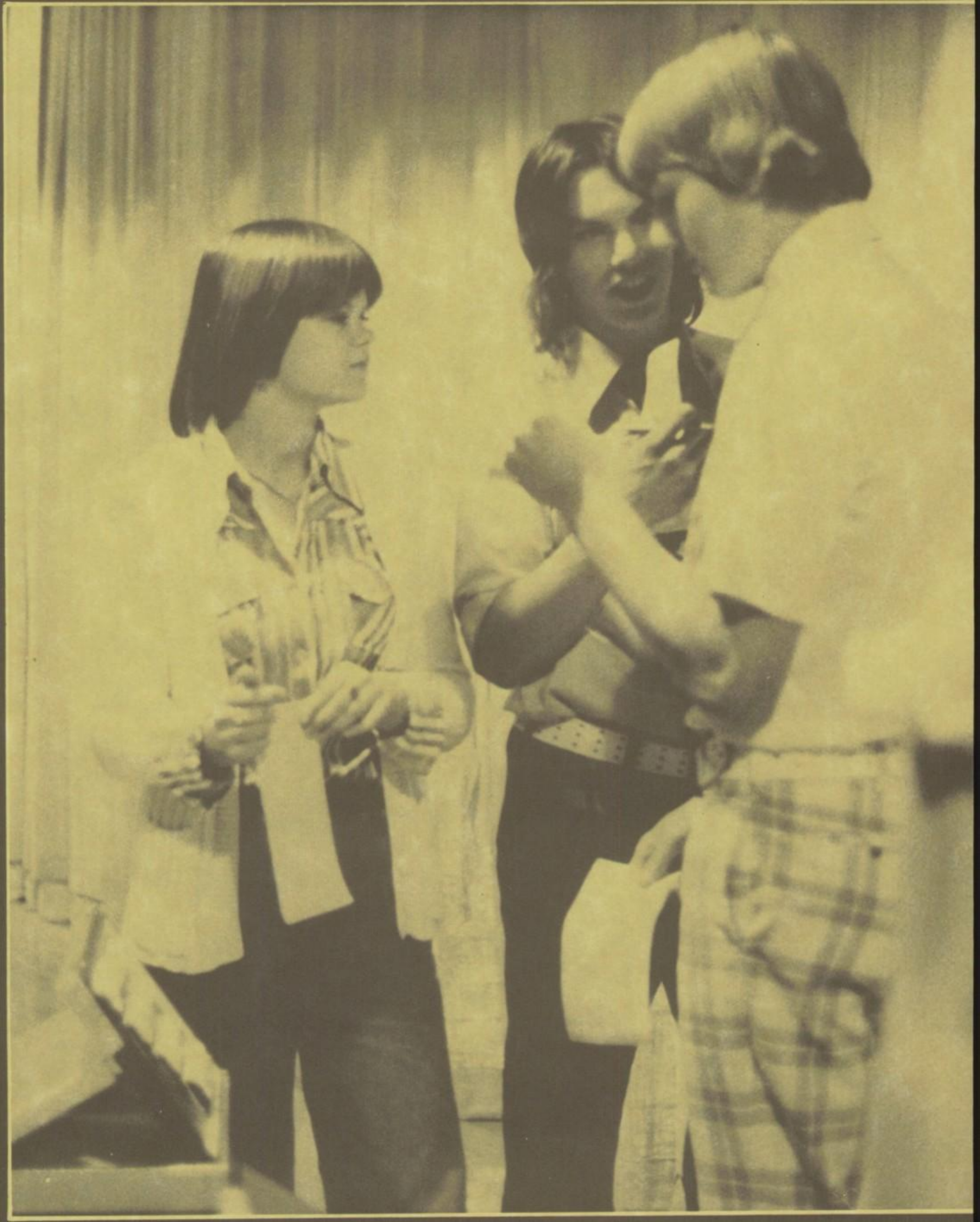


"Farewell now, my friend, and please may you find
some thoughts of me always in your mind."



Underclassmen





"Top Notch" Junior Class...

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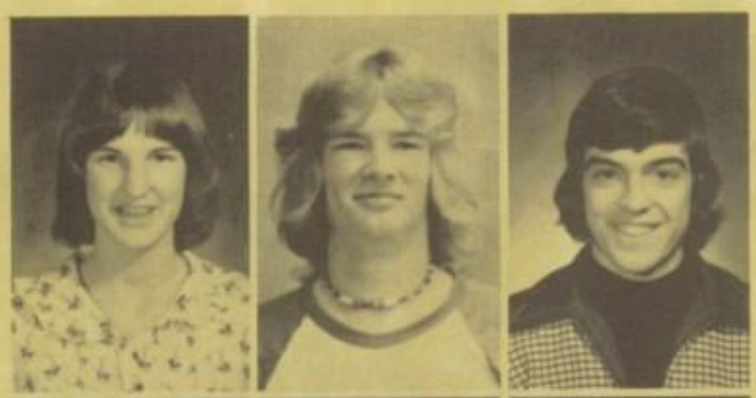
Jerry Aldrich
Eric Baldwin



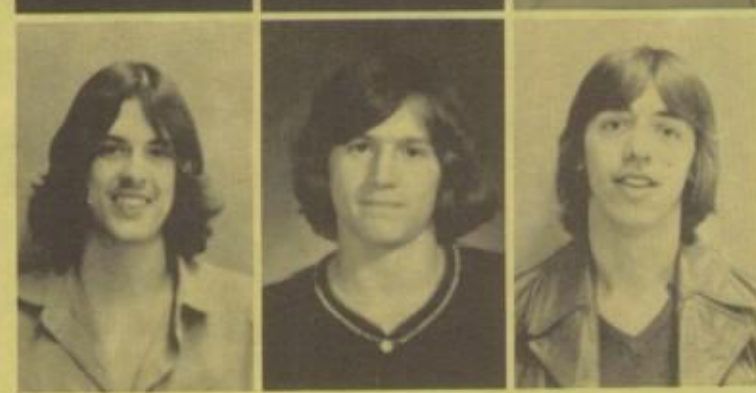
Rod Baur
Ronda Beals
Lori Beers

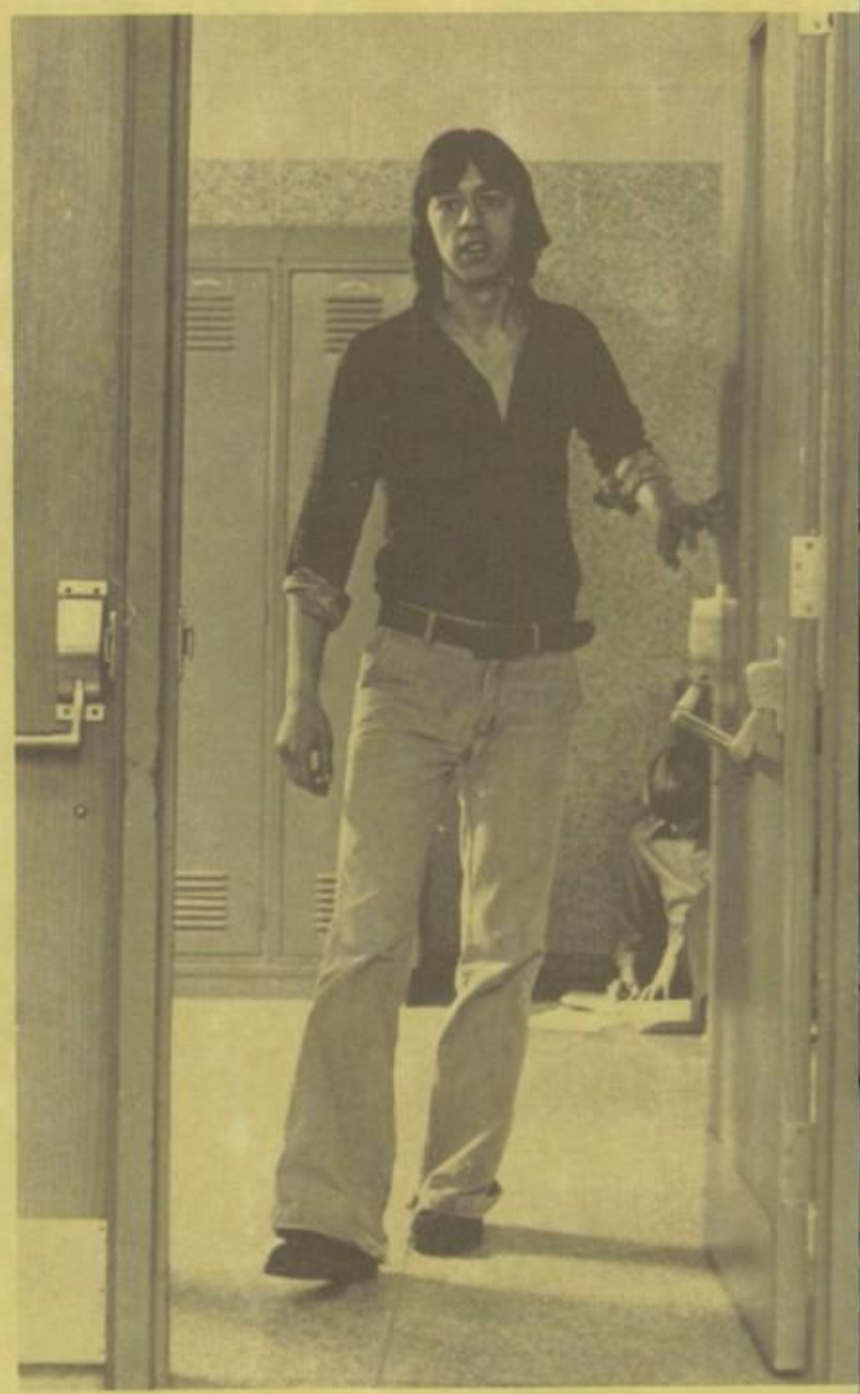
Becky Bigford
Gary Breasbois
Gary Brennan

Steve Brown
Kitty Bryce
John Burt

Randy Busch
Mike Bushre
Linda Cantu

Phil Childs
Mark Clark
Darrell Cline



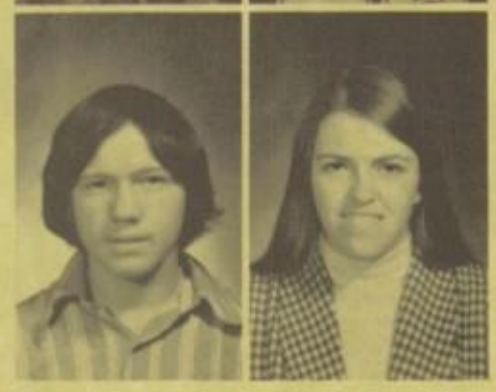


Juniors... preparing for future life...
... determined to succeed
... sponsored many traditional activities...
... Homecoming... Prom... Banquet
... Homecoming representative... Cathy Clingenpeel
... Snowball representative... Cindy Acton
... Powderpuff Basketball winners
... class motto...
... "Yesterday is gone, tomorrow is waiting."
... enthusiastic class of '77

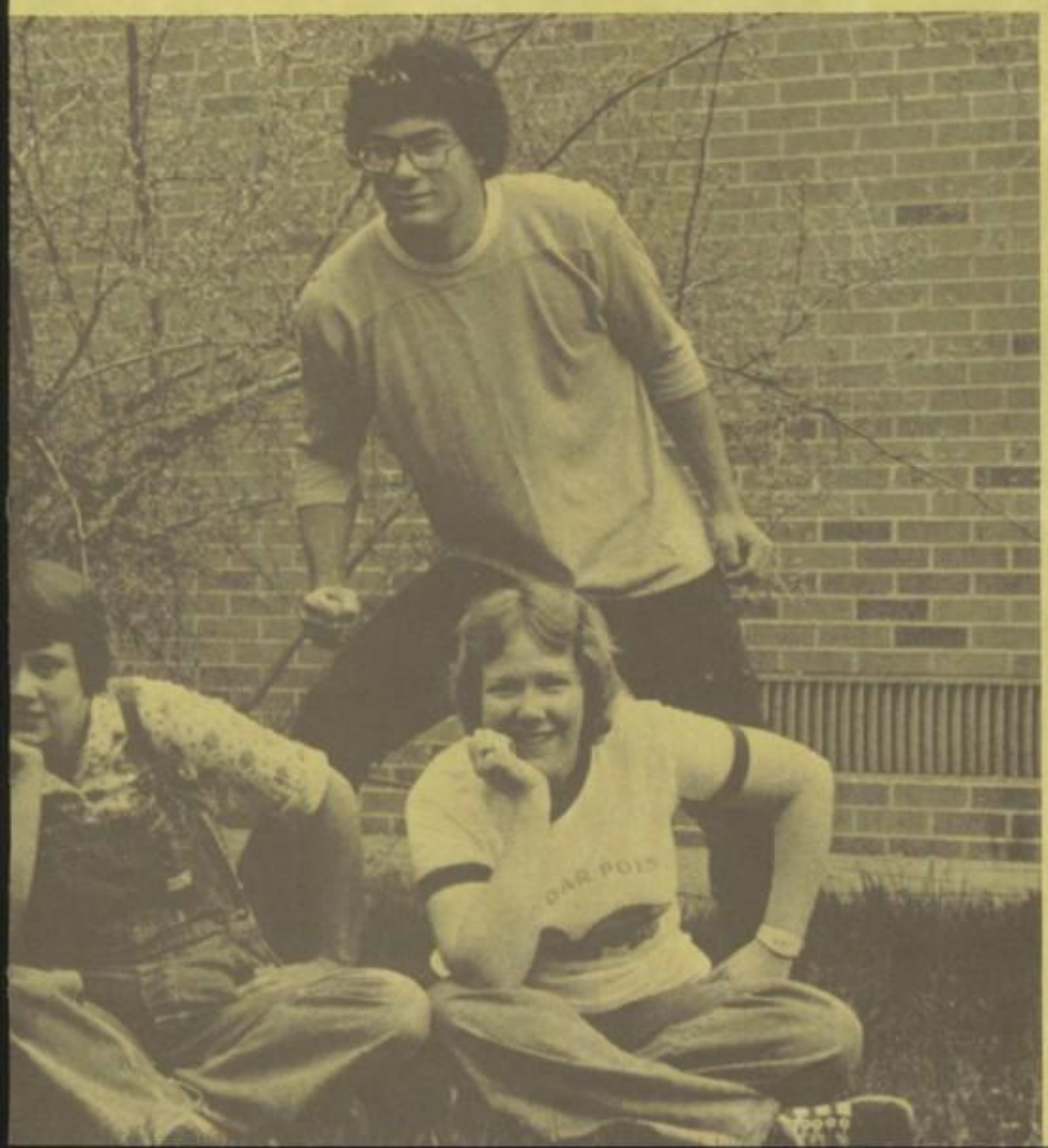
Cathy Clingenpeel
Lorraine Cole

Arnold Conklin
Craig Cross

Don Dean
Tom Donahue



Carlus Doty
Julie Dunn



Opposite page: Entering the cafetorium with hunger pains, Darrell Cline hopes to find a cure.
Upper left: Randy Myers thinks of a scheme well worth doing.
Center left: Lorraine Cole catches the cameraman's eye. Left: Junior class officers--Publicity Chairman Carol Parfitt, President Mark Clark, Secretary Sunday McLean, Vice President Marc Huntoon, and Treasurer Jan Hoard.

Excels In Academics and Athletics...

Marcy Dunn
Gary Durfee
Deb Eaton
Gary Edgecombe

Gerald Eurich
Mike Federspiel
Rod Ferguson
Benny Fisher

Scott Gaines
Lisa Gallihugh
Dave Giles
Jill Gillis
Linda Gordon
Steve Gregory

Joann Hehnlin
Doug Hoard
Janice Hoard
Becky Hooker
Ken House
Dwight Huntoon

In Unity ... Leadership

Marc Huntoon
Nadeen Huntoon

Terri Johnston
Jane Kennedy

Joe Kennedy
Ed Lange
Fred Lange
Hugh Laundra
Jamie Laurenz
Scott Laurenz

Mike Liebrock
Leeann Marr
Jesse Martinez
Orfelina Martinez
Karen McCallum
Kevin McCaw

Opposite page, left: Jamie Laurenz makes the most of a short lunch hour. Right: Kevin McCaw, well-known Santa Claus of the Christmas Assembly, sits in Chemistry class. Top: Spirit-filled Junior girls hope for a victorious outcome of the game. Left: Mark Clark sits proudly atop his new car.

"We Look To A Successful Future"

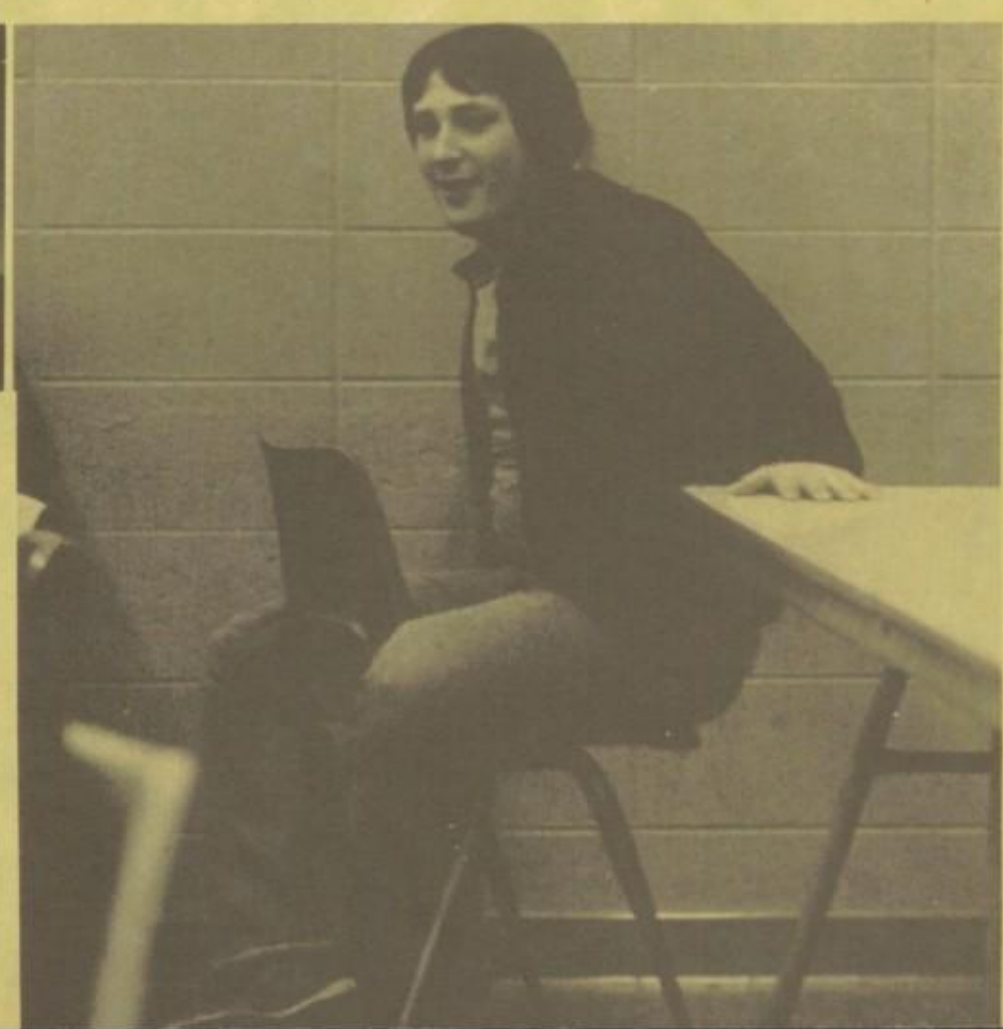
Martha McClintic
Sunday McLean
Kathy Milledge
Deb Millikan
Pat Mizer
Bill Mosher

Linda Muscott
Chris Myers
LuAnn Myers
Randy Myers
Stuart Nagel
Al Neal

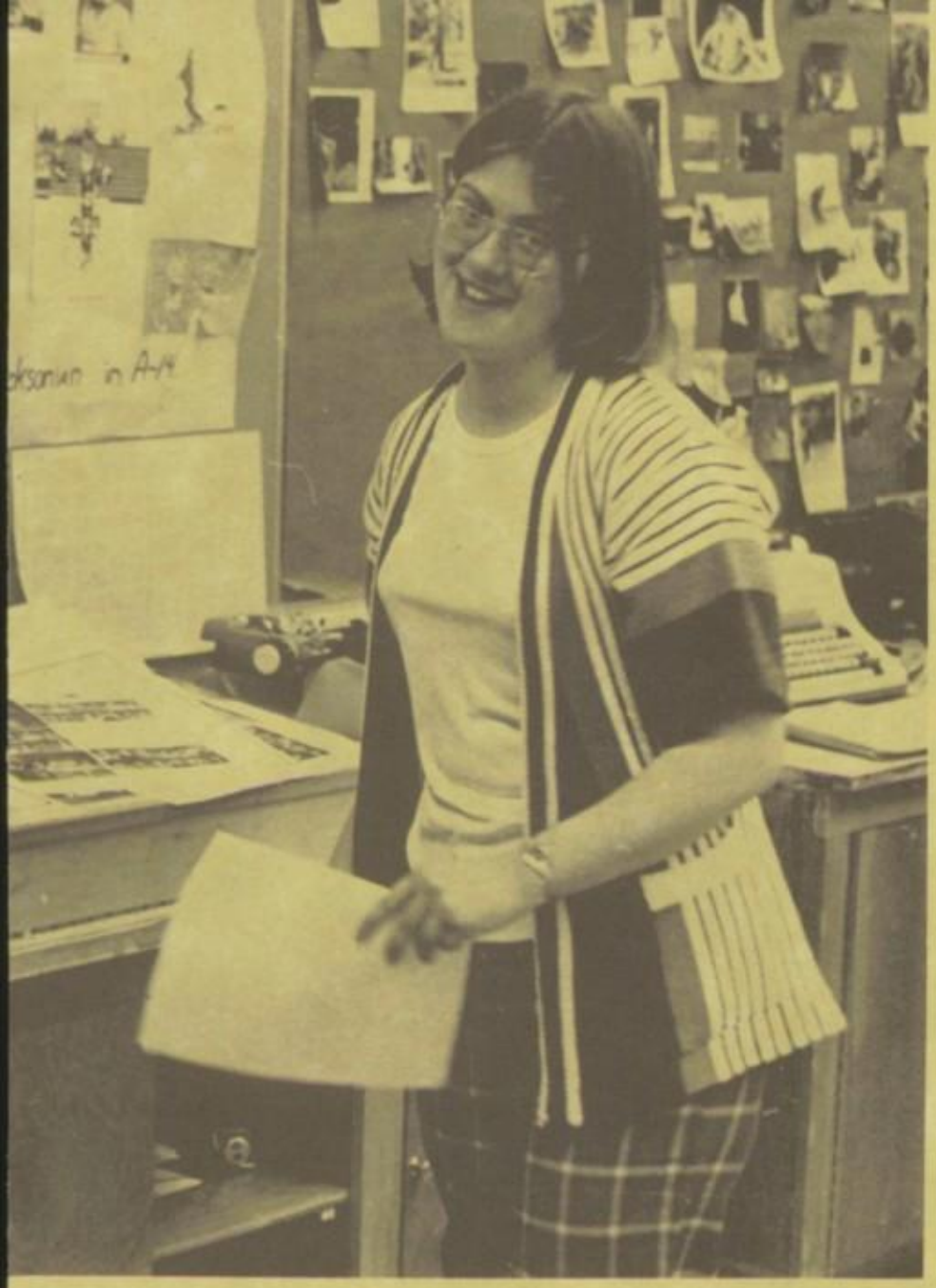
Bruce Neal
Dan Ortiz
Carol Parfitt
Kurt Peters
Harrison Plank
John Ralph

Bob Riedel
Phil Riley
Bernard Rittenour
Chip Rodriguez
Juan Rodriguez
Gary Rose

Mary Royalty
Cathy Sandy



Right: Stuart Nagel is caught on film during one of his rare visits to school.
Opposite page, top: Candidly speaking Nadeen Huntoon does well as Junior Editor of the yearbook. Bottom: School activities occupy much of Mike Federspiel's time.



Gary Schlonegar
Scott Schneider

Ann Schutt
Deb Shaver

Kirk Smith
Dave Stoneman

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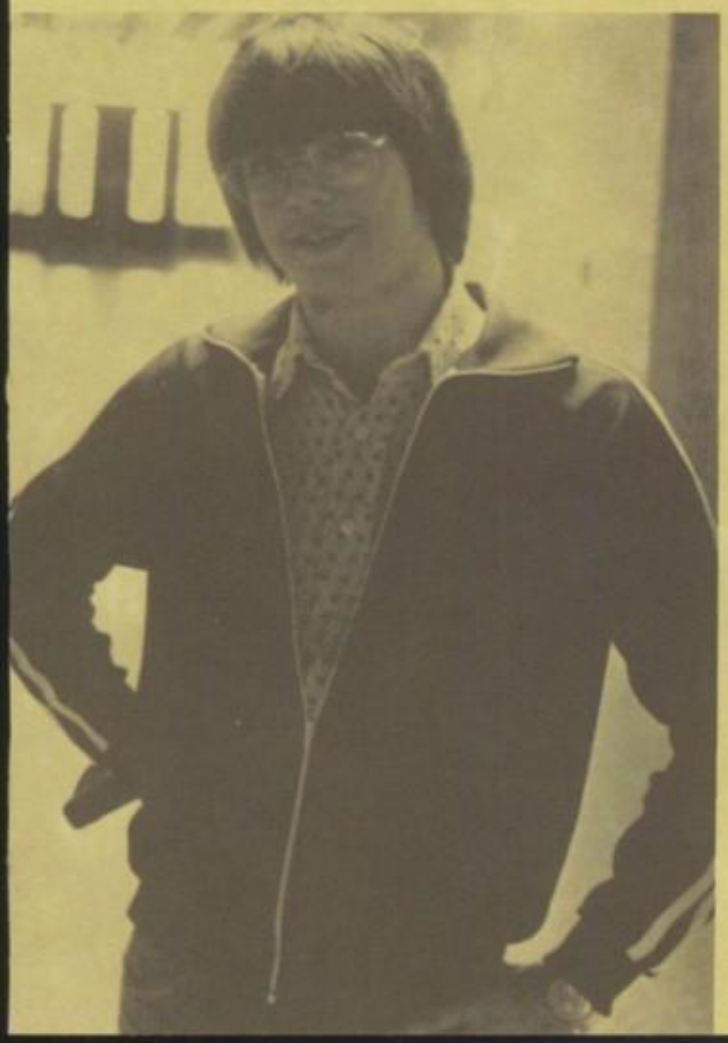
Roger Stonerock
Sue Tucker
Ken VanTine
Jeannette Varner
Lisa Wagoner



Barb Wale
Bonnie Warmouth
Kathy Watson

Jim Willman
Spencer Willman
Linda Wollenweber

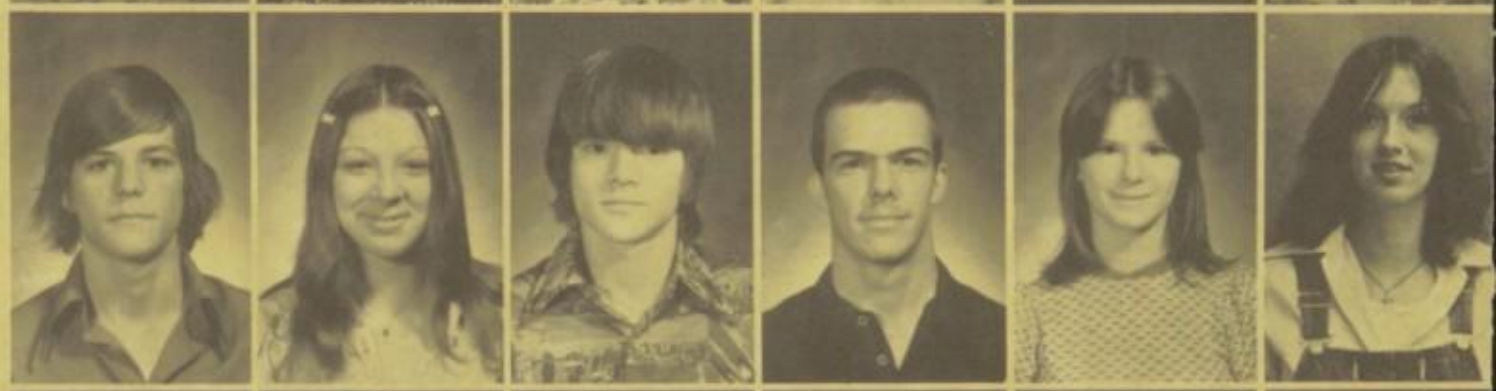
"We, The Class Of '78...

Sophomores... strong group of individuals...
... involved in many school activities
... Homecoming float...
... "Welcome To Your Nightmare"
... sponsored DJ dance... car wash...
... raised funds for upcoming years
... second year in Senior High...
... promoting more school spirit
... an athletic class... sparks of most teams
... class rings... highlight of year
... powerful and ambitious students...
... promising futures

Rick Bailey
Craig Bakel
Cindy Battley
Kim Bayes
Melissa Beals
Dale Becker

Joe Betz
Matt Bolt
Robin Bott
Brian Brown
Dan Brown
Rick Brown

Pat Burt
Sara Cameron
Max Capen
Dan Carter
Colene Childs
Tracie Childs



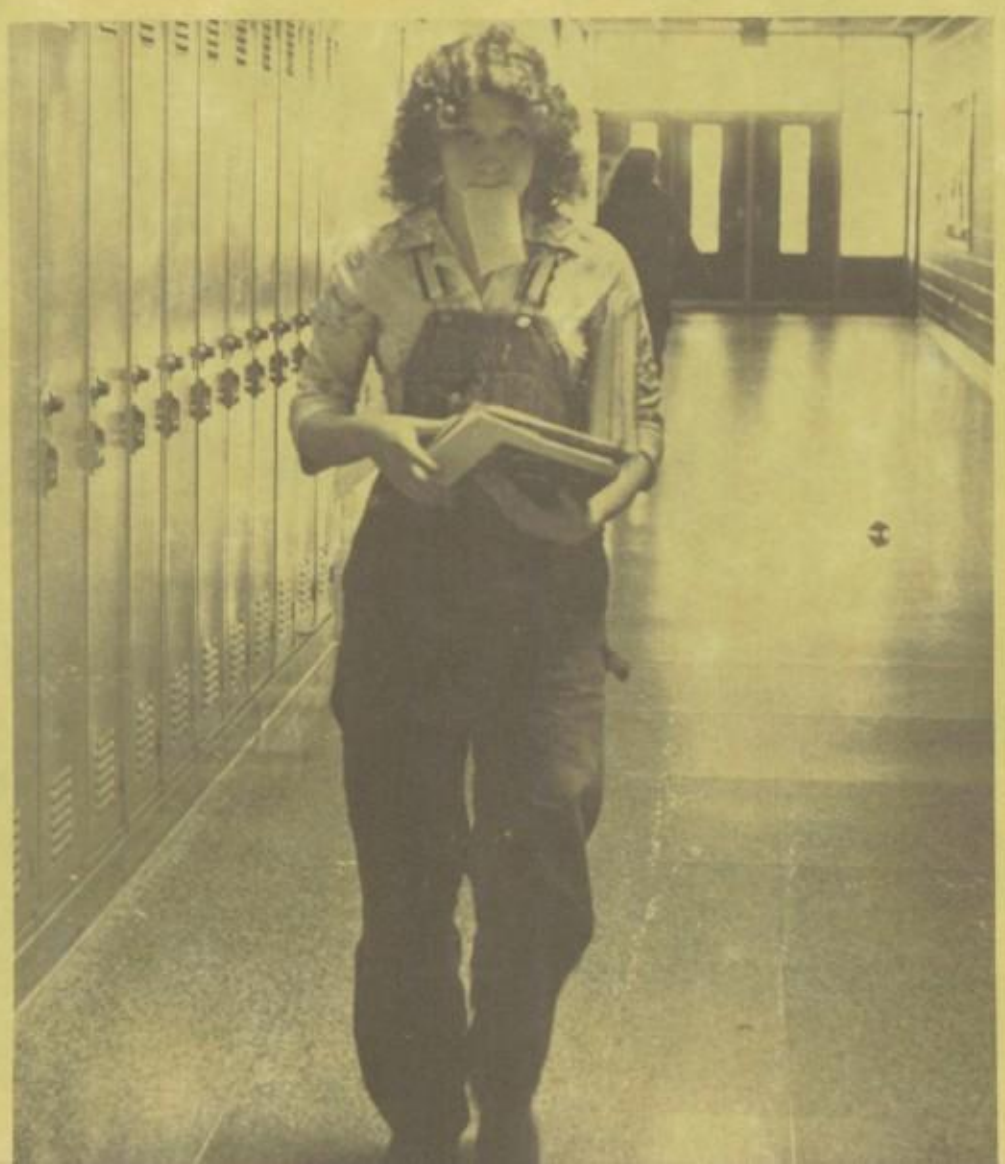
Nancy Clapp
Penny Clapp
Lucia Clawson
Wayde Cochran
Kevin Coleman
Ann Colthorp

George Conn
Pat Cooper
Deb Coulson
Debbie Crippen
Dave Cronkite
Prudy Derks

Sue Dintaman
Paul Donahue
Maribeth Donley
Mary Edwards
Chris Eurich
Annette Fisher

Sue Fisher
Denny Fleming
Mark Frederick
Lezlie French
Joe Garcia
Sue Garcia

Greta Gates
Linda Giles
Tim Giles
Don Gleesing
Fred Goodrich
Linda Graham



Upper left: Sophomore class officers--Treasurer Jill Spiekerman, Vice President Mike Wolfgang, Secretary Diane Spindler, President Dan Carter, Publicity Chairman Sue Fisher. Left: Tracie Kleinhans is caught walking down the hall between classes. Above: Selling milk during noon hours is part of Michelle St. John's daily routine.

Strive For Scholastic Achievement...

Mark Greening

Roy Hammond

Kevin Harrison

Pete Heinen

Mark Hoffman

Sandy House

Tom Hull

Greg Huntoon

Julie Huntoon

Kay Hynes

Karen Jackson

Chris James

Bobbi Katt

Tracy Kleinhans

Cindy Krapohl

Debra Lang

Val Larkin

Dawn Laurenz

Lisa Letts

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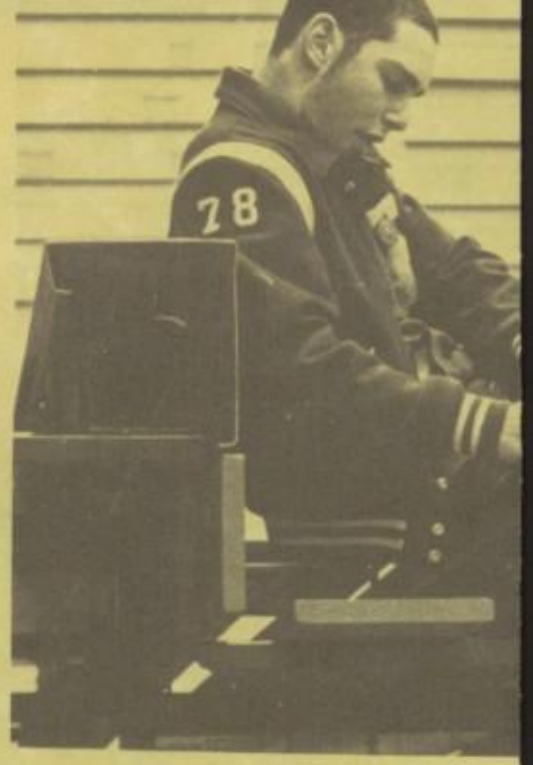
Tony Lockwood

Anita Long

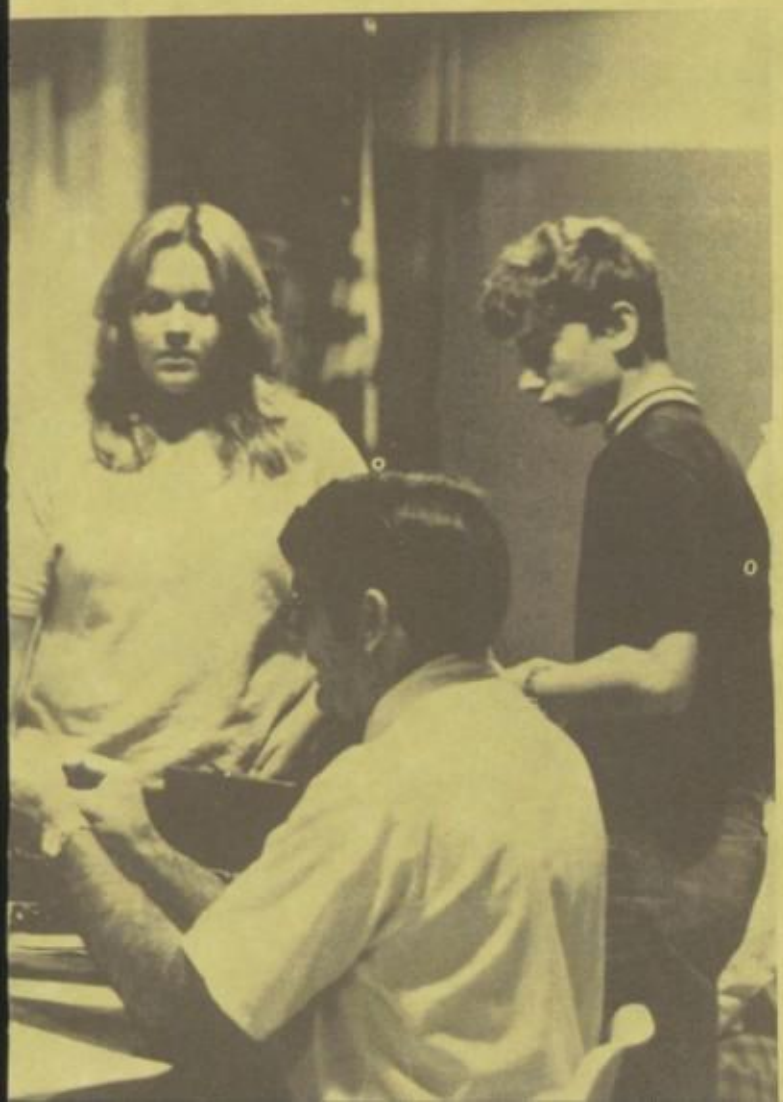


Accept Responsibilities...

Richard Long
Fred Love
Brian McCrory
Lisa McCrory

Lisa McIlrath
Dan Mecomber
Brian Miller

Sue Miller
Larry Moe
Kim Moore



Cathy Mullins
Lynn O'Boyle
Larry Oster

Dennis Ostrander
Robert Ostrander
Kevin Painter

Top: An empty gym is a great place to finish homework as shown by Brian Miller. Center: Leann Posey, Linda Giles, and Lisa McIlrath quietly discuss the agenda for the Winter Sports Banquet. Left: Tim Giles, Sue Fisher, and other sophomores patiently wait in line to order their traditional class rings.

And Look Ahead To Future Goals"

Dick Peasley
Lynn Phillips
Bonnie Poscal
Leann Posey

Rick Ramirez
Richard Riedel
Bill Rhodes
Mark Rohde

Mark Rose
Mike Rose
Randy Sanders
Kelly Sapp

Dorene Schick
Wendy Secord
Wendy Seeley
Mark Simmons

Vincent Smith
Cheri Snyder
Jill Spiekerman
Diane Spindler

Buck Sterling
Sue Sterling
Michelle St. John
Randy Stone

Sheila Story
Vivian Thomas
Eileen Watters
Mel Weaver
Michelle Weaver

Brian Welsh
Marc White
Roger White
Joyce Wicks
Kim Wolfgang

Mike Wolfgang
Carm Wright
Craig Wright
Howard Zimmerman
Kim Zsoter

Opposite page, left: Dave Cronkite and Dan Carter lend support at a girl's basketball game. Top: Mark Greening and Colene Childs chuckle over their hearty lunches. Center: Karen Jackson tries for the title of Mrs. Santa Claus at the Christmas Assembly. Bottom: Larry Moe, Mark Hoffman, and Brian McCrory ham it up before the pep assembly. Left: Julie Huntoon wrinkles her nose at the camera.

Freshmen Reach for New Goals

Class of '79... spirit galore...
... alert and responsible... proving themselves
... Homecoming participation...
... float... "Only Cardinals Bleed"
... representative... Karen Northrup
... Snowball representative...
... Carolyn Clingenpeel
... academic challenge... eager to excel

Taryn Acton

Robin Anderson

Anita Anguiano

Kevin Bailey

Dennis Balgavy

Jeff Bartlett

Sally Battley

Doris Baur

Cheryl Breasbois

Tim Breasbois

Greg Breidinger

Debbie Brown

James Brown

Mark Brown

Herbert Burkett

Tim Bursley

Bob Burt

Julie Burt

Steve Burton

Ron Bushre

Kelly Butcher

Lynne Cantu

Angie Carter

Brian Cates

Don Chaput

Eric Childs

Carol Clapp

James Clark

David Cline

Carolyn Clingenpeel

Kendall Coleman
Linda Conn
Mike Cooper
Tim Coyle
Mark Cronkite
Rhonda Cross

Bernard Dean
Kevin Dicken
Robin Doty
Steve Doty
Craig Dunn
Jill Durfee

Donna Ferguson
Pat Fetters
Mike Fisher
Craig Folts
Jerry French
Cary Frederick

Mark Gallihugh
Terry Garcia
Stewart Gay
Jim Gillis
Vicenta Girvin
Becky Gould

Opposite page: Freshmen pay serious attention, especially in algebra class. Left: Getting out in front of an audience proved to be an exciting experience for Dave Gulick and Jeff Bartlett. Above: Even though they didn't win a prize, the Freshmen had a lot of fun working on their Homecoming float, "Only Cardinals Bleed."

Frosh Show Spirit

Jerry Green
Jim Green

David Gulick
Tom Gulick
Steve Hammond

Roberta Haworth
Jean Heinen
Pam Helsel
Kelly Hendricks
Mike Hite

Linda Hooker
Dale Hopkins
Doug Hudson
Cary Huntoon
Cheryl Ingersoll

Jennie Jenkins
Diane Juhas
Judy Juhas
Leo Kennedy
Pam Kraphol

Karen Krueger
Tammy Larkin
Becky Letts
Lupe Lopez
Robert MacLennan

Opposite page: Cary Huntoon helps on the "chain gang" at a game. Left: Freshman girls display a friendly smile while being introduced at a pep assembly. Lower left: Freshman class officers--President Lynda Shankel, Treasurer Mike Fisher, Publicity Chairman Jim Ortiz, Secretary Jennie Jenkins, and Vice President Carolyn Clingenpeel. Below: Jane Williams and Lynda Shankel promote Huskie spirit by making a poster.

Karen Martin
Kim Maylee
Amy McCallum
Loren McCaw

Mike McKenzie
Cindy Mecomber
Matthew Mecomber
Lisa Miller

Ron Miller
Janet Myers
Randy Nagel
Dennis Nicholson

Karen Northrup
Pam O'Boyle
Jim Ortiz
Rick Ovalle

... Livin' Up the Good Times

Santos Ovalle
Roger Riggie
Joy Rittenour
Becky Rodriquez
Tina Roe

Wade Roberts
Chris Rose
Art Sawvel
Gene Schick
Theresa Schultz

Kelli Secord
Tammi Schutt
Charles Seeley
Dennis Shankel
Lynda Shankel
Betty Shaver

Jim Shaver
Marsha Shaw
Steve Spaulding
Bob Stebbins
Sheila Stoneman
Jim Stonerock

Ken Sugar
Barb Sumner
Cheryl Tester
Wanda Tester
John Theilen

Cindy Thomas
Paul Varner
Sandy Wale
Larry Watson
Pat Watson

Michelle Way
Toni Wells
Jane Williams
Scott Wilson
Brad Wolfgang

Cindy Wollenweber
Mike Wollenweber
Cheryl Wright
Jamie Wright
Karen Zsoter

Opposite page, left: Steve Spaulding dresses in typical BHS attire. Right: These Freshman girls were hard to recognize in their Halloween masks.
Upper left: Kim Maylee deliberates on a typing dilemma. Upper right: Playing in pep band is just one of many activities for Linda Conn, Diane Juhas, and Tammy Schutt. Left: Freshman boys wait to test their wrestling skills.

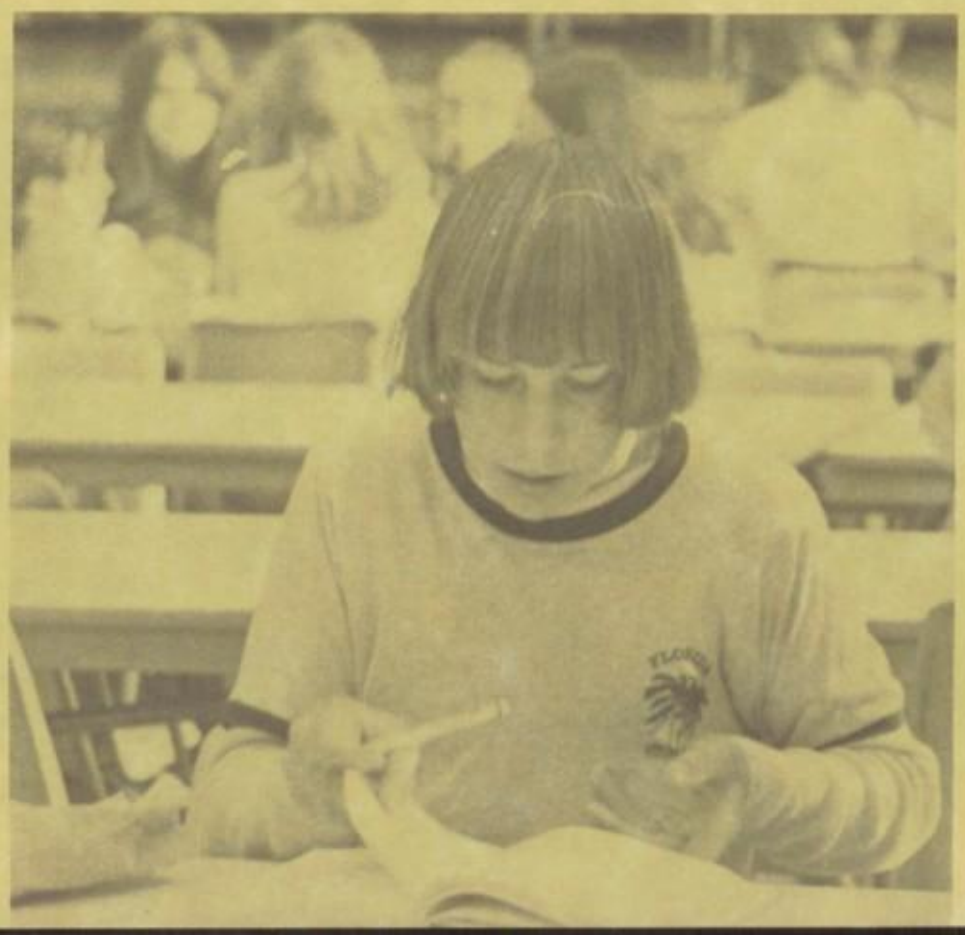
Eighth Graders Set Goals and Values

Kimberly Anderson
Scott Bakel
Sara Beers
Dave Bentancourt
Greg Billings
John Black

Brian Bluemer
Kyle Bolt
Mike Bonar
Carol Boroughf
Bill Bowen
Deanna Brennan

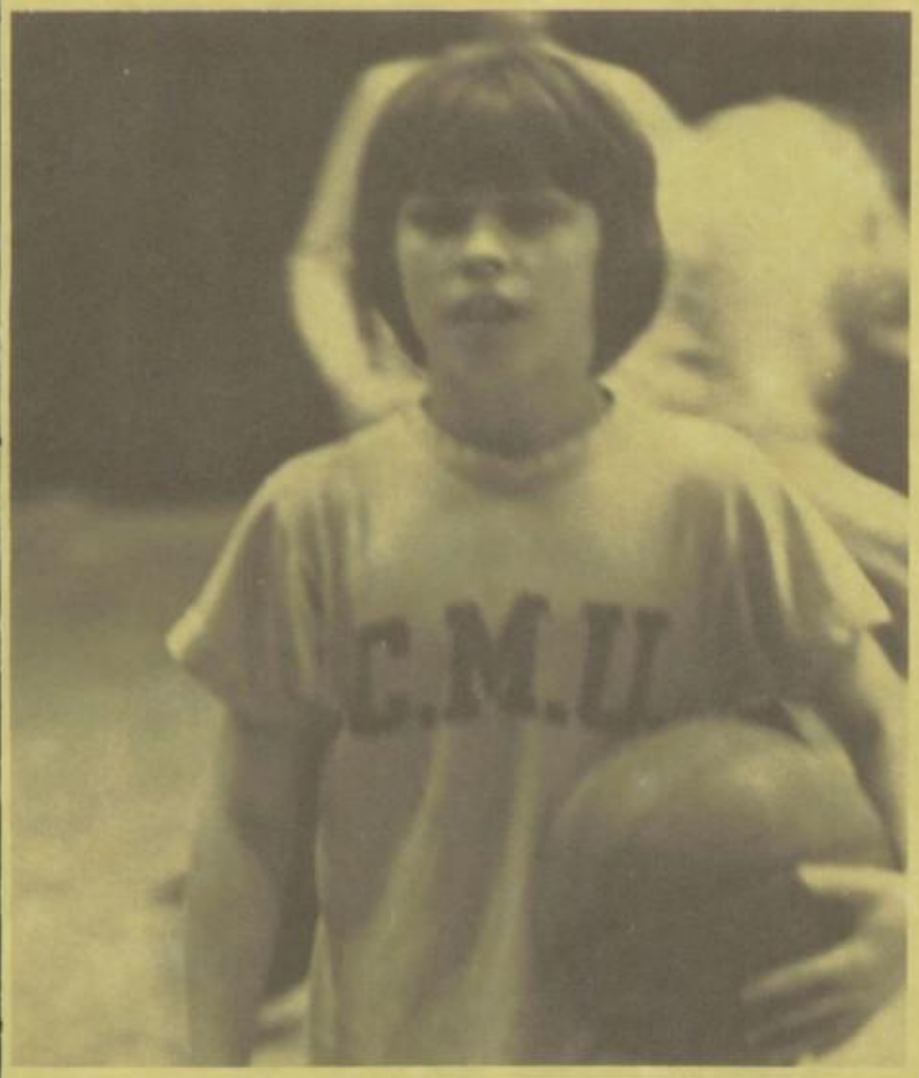
Corrina Briggs
Roy Burgess

Roger Bursley
Brad Burtch



Kim Busch
Rose Carman
Emily Chadderdon
Chris Clark
Bob Clingenpeel

Steve Coston
Dee Ann Cross
Leonard Cummings
Rose Eastman
Tracie Eastman



Diane Eaton
Tom Emery
Fred Eurich

Jim Farkas
Peter Fetters

Patsy Fisher
Steve Fisher

Opposite page, upper left: Scott Guthrie and Doug VanTine are caught doing homework. Upper right: Lori Juhas, Sara Beers, and Terri Lewis show pride in their finished bulletin board. Below: Steve Coston uses his study hall wisely.
Center left: Playing basketball is Jeff Smith's favorite noon pastime.
Left: John Stoneman and DeeAnn Cross devote their time to Junior High Student Council.

High School is Just Around the Corner

Wendy Fisher
Theresa Fleming
Lorraine Garcia

Gayle Gehrig
Carolyn Gordon
Allan Goward

David Greenwood
Scott Guthrie
Groyer Hamann

Larry Hanley
Eddie Harcourt
Ron Haworth

Dick Hendricks
Dale Hoard
Steve Hoard

Top: Kim Busch discovers directing isn't as easy as Mrs. Murchie makes it look. Right: Eighth graders sit patiently while listening to a teacher's lecture.

Diane Hudson
Bob Huntoon
Linda Ingersoll
Elaine Jenkins
Lori Juhas
Tammy Juhas

Ann Kennedy
Jeff Kirby
Mark Kleinhans
Jeff Knapik
Karrol Knorr
Bob Lange

Terry Lewis
Roger Liedeke
Arnold Long
Leonard Long
Renae Long
Natalie Mason

Julie Mastaw
Casey McKenzie
Dennis McGillis
Jerry Miller

Lezlee Miller
Jeff Mizer
Penny Moore
Lisa Neitzke

Doug O'Boyle
Eileen O'Boyle
Lorie Olling
Paul Orvosh

The Future is Ours

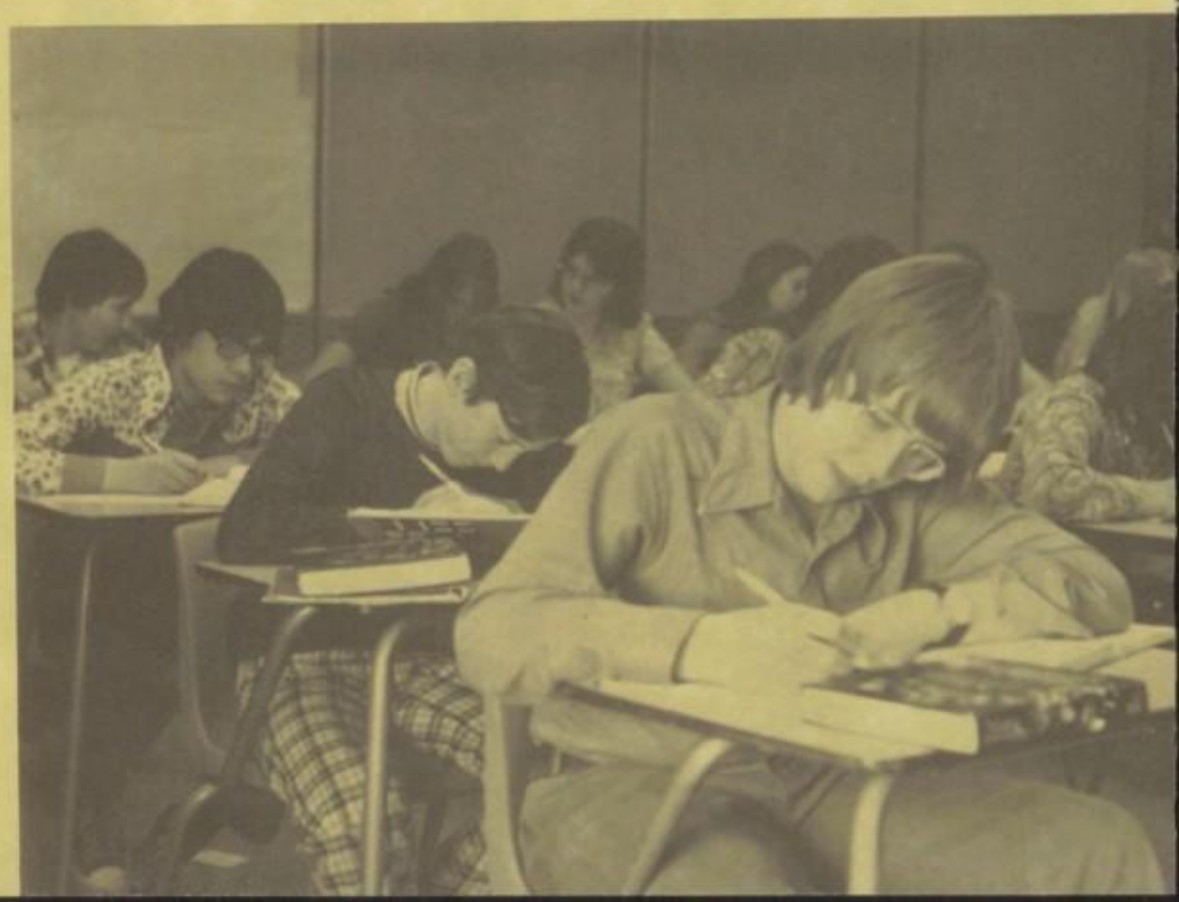
Kitty Peacock
Kris Peacock

Beth Pershing
Carol Pickens

Tim Pickens
Doug Plank
Linda Ramirez
Vicky Rodriquez
Donna Rohn
David Rose

Debora Sanchez
Tammy Sanders
Carrie Sawvel
Randy Scott
Julie Shankel

Top: Bob Huntoon's good mood is shown in his smile. Right: Eighth graders use the end of class to finish their math assignments.
Opposite page, left: Elaine Jenkins, Beth Pershing, and Ann Kennedy share the latest news while they eat. Center right: Basketball action attracts the attention of Deanna Brennan and Linda Ingersoll.



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Sandra Slaght
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Mark Sterling

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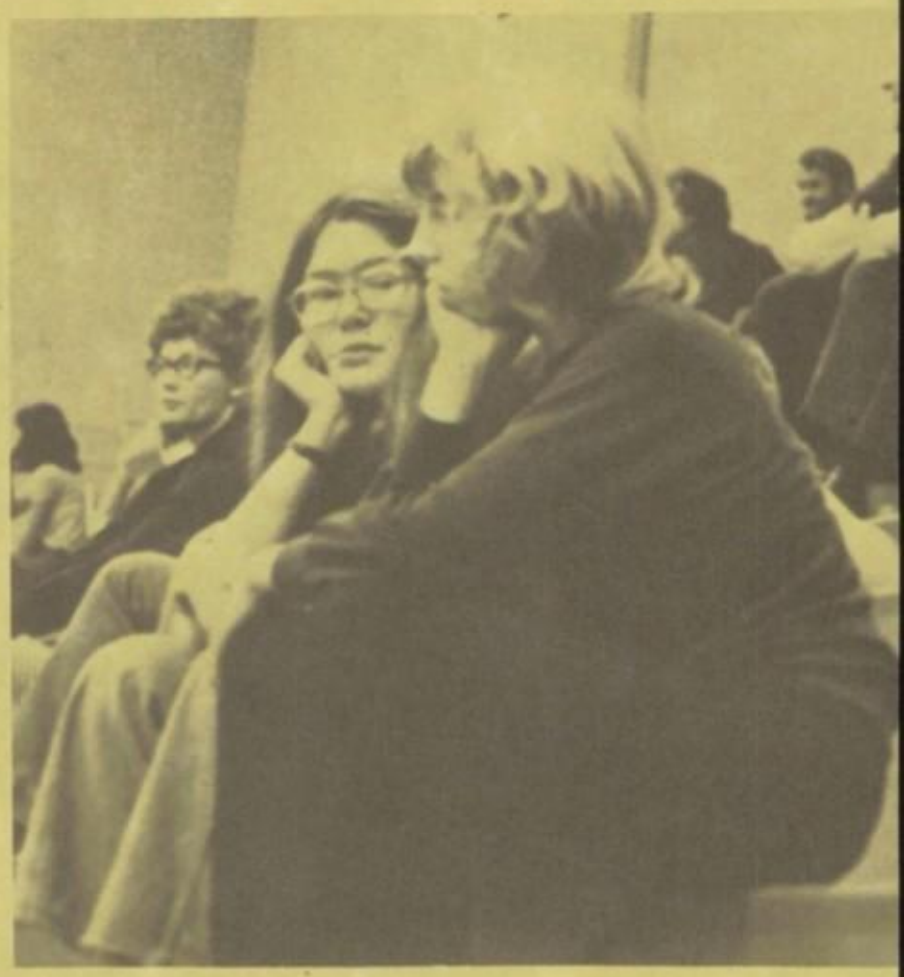
Lois Stover
Cindy Tester
Robert Thompson
Carl Toner
Steve Toner



Sherry Tucker
Doug VanTine
Mark Varner
Phyllis Wale
Rod Wale
Todd Ward

Rick Webb
Jerry Wolfgang
Steve White
Brock Wyeth
Kevin Wyeth
Debbie Zeitler

Seventh Grade ...

Debbie Aldrich
Jan Bartlett
Tammy Becker
Lisa Belles
Teresa Belles
Marie Billings
Sharon Bilow

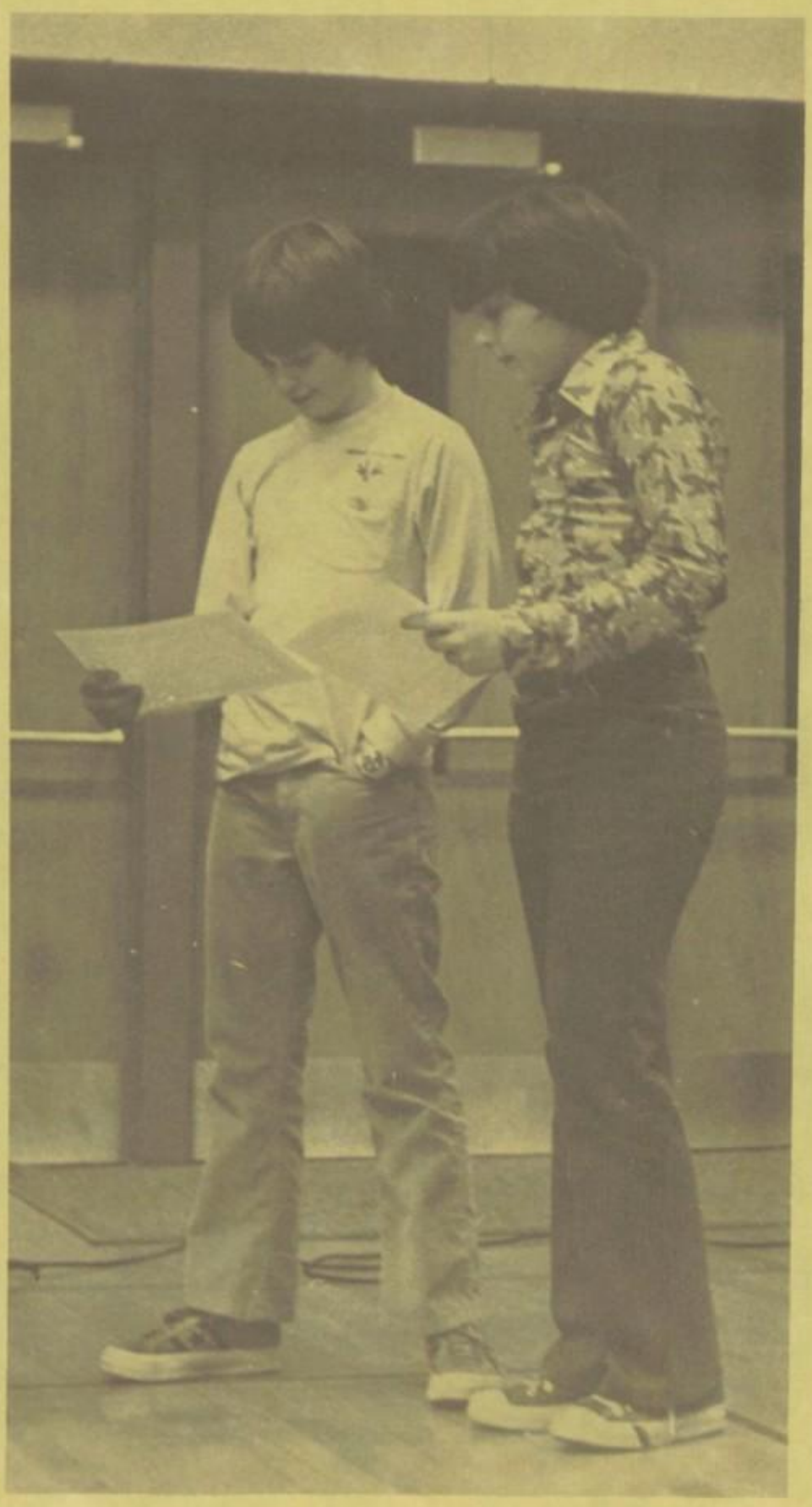
Jeff Bingham
Becky Bowen
Roland Bremer
Karen Bryce
Tammy Burns
Greg Burt
Scott Bushre

James Cantu
Rebecca Cates
Becky Champine

Upper left: Don Long eagerly buys a yearbook from the Journalism class. Upper right: Karen Heinen, alias Tinkerbell, sings for the Christmas assembly. Right: Geri Gaines sips the last few drops of her malt.
Opposite page, left: Konrad Rotermund and Greg Smith proudly examine their basketball manager certificates. Right: Kelly Dicken pauses while taking notes.

Mike Chapin
Dan Childs
Renee Clay
Jim Coleman
Jim Cooper
Bryan Cross

Michele Cross
Kelly Dicken
Debbie Dean
Vicky Esquivel
Debbie Farkas
Amy Federspiel



Betty Fleming
Stephanie Foster

Klurenda Galehouse
LeRae Galehouse

Patty Gall
Geri Gaines

Mary Jo Gates
Randy Gates
Jim Giles
Shane Girvin
Teresa Gonzales
Cindy Gould
Dan Greenwood

Bill Harcourt
Christina Hartley
Karen Heinen
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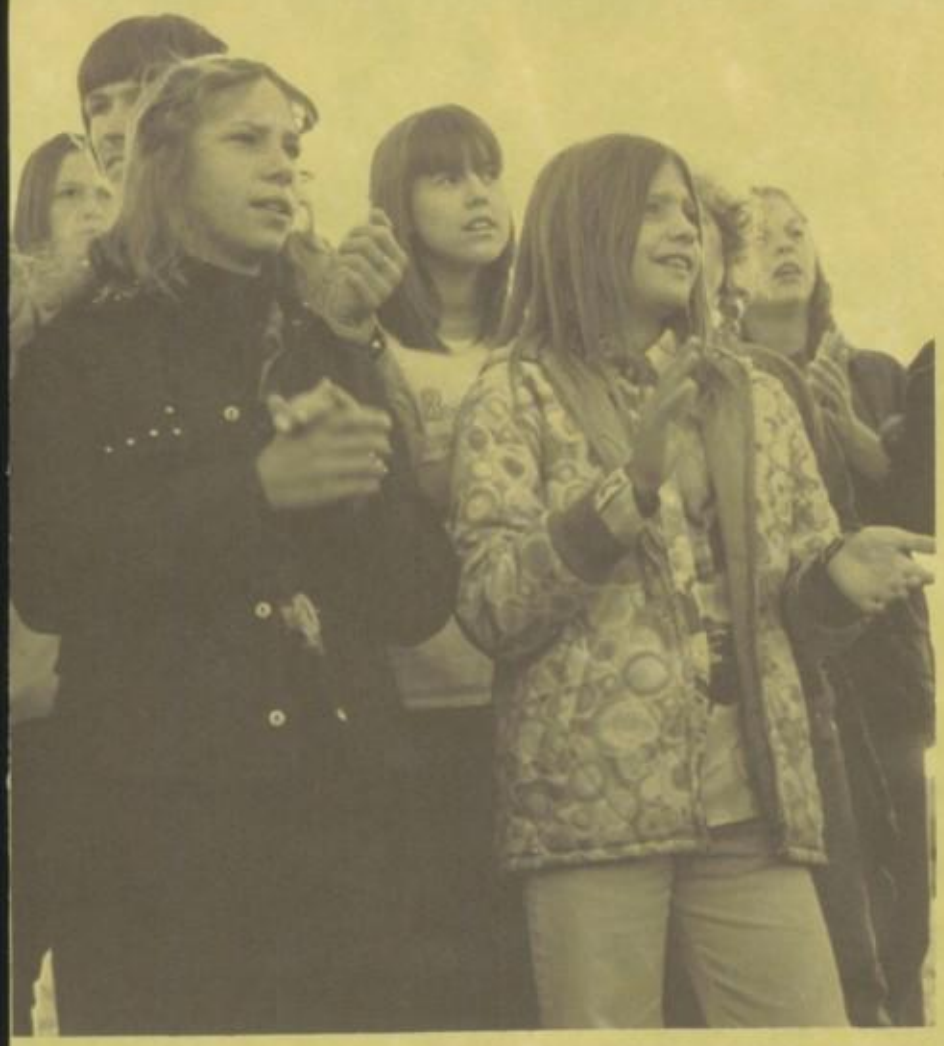
...New Challenges...



Scott LaBonville
Terri Letts
Don Long

Marg MacLachlan
Dan Mallory
Roger Mason

Rick Maylee
Dan McClintic
Angie Myers
Jim Myers
Tim Neal
Tom Moulten
Rocky Odem

Claudia Parfitt
Linda Pickens
Steve Pickens
Diane Ramirez
Christine Richert
Charles Riggie
Britt Roberts

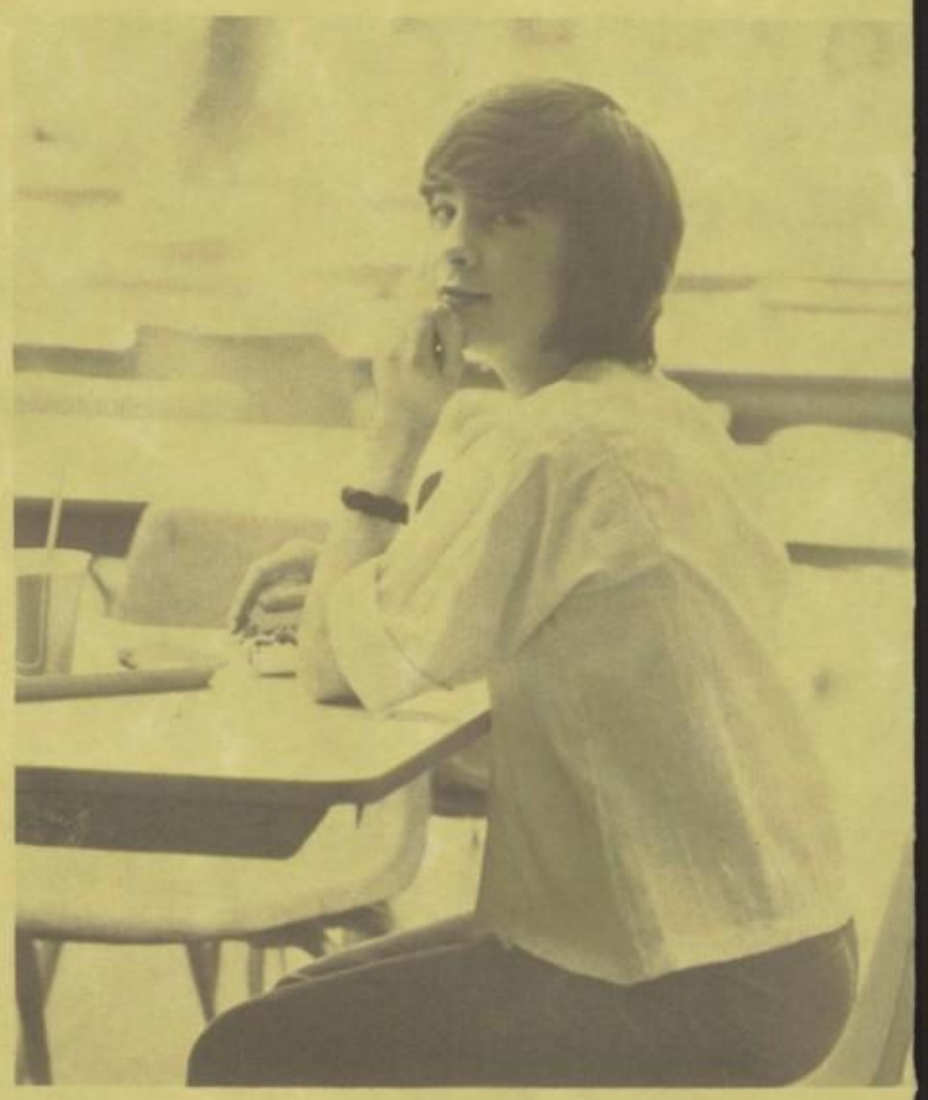
Connie Roberts
Maria Rodriguez

Opposite page, left: Mary Jo Gates, Tammy Warner, Kathy Tuck, and DeeAnn Huntoon pass their lunch hour watching people. Center right: Tammy Becker and Tammy Burns head for their next class. Lower right: Amy Federspiel relaxes during study-hall.
Upper left: Brigid Rohde and Denise Rohde join in the Homecoming spirit. Left: Jim Cooper, Bryan Cross, and Steve Pickens share a fudgesicle.

Charles Roe
Brigid Rohde
Denise Rohde

William Ross
Konrad Rotermund
Steve Russell

Marsha Sanders
Jenny Sandy
Sheila Sawvel



Laura Schultz
Tom Schwind
David Secord

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Bob Shelley
Doug Shelley

Greg Smith
Sari Smith
Donine Spaulding
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Jerry Terwilliger
Randy Tester

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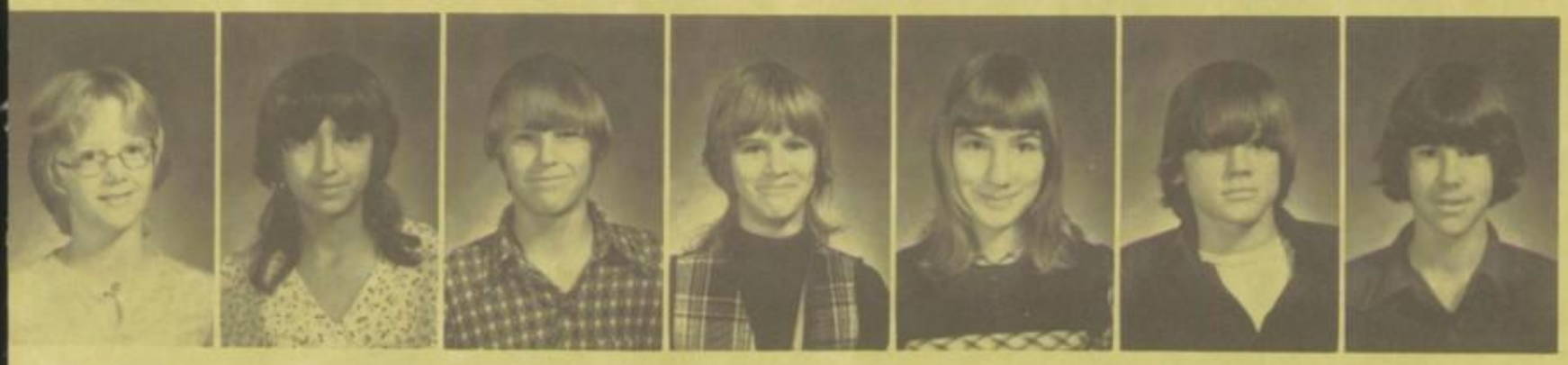

Lisa Wells
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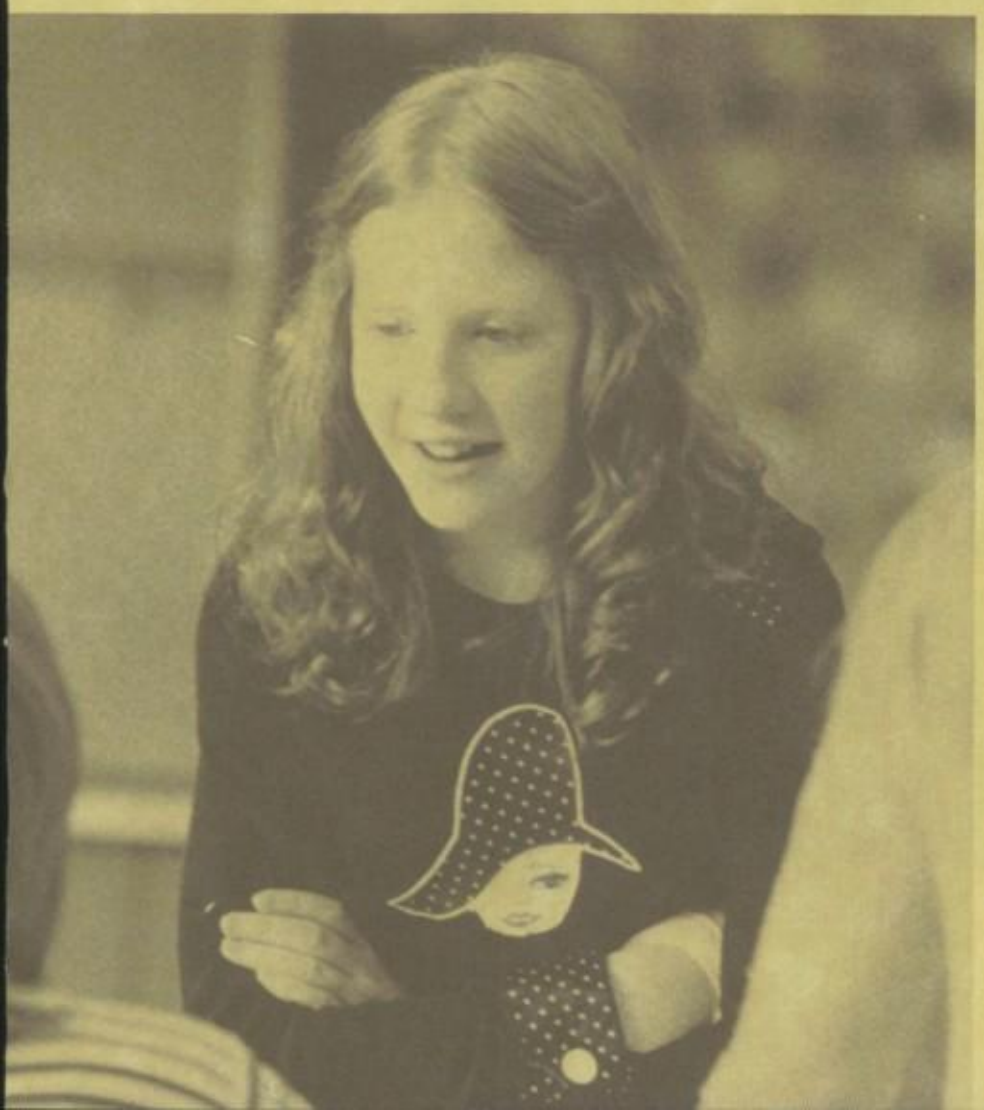
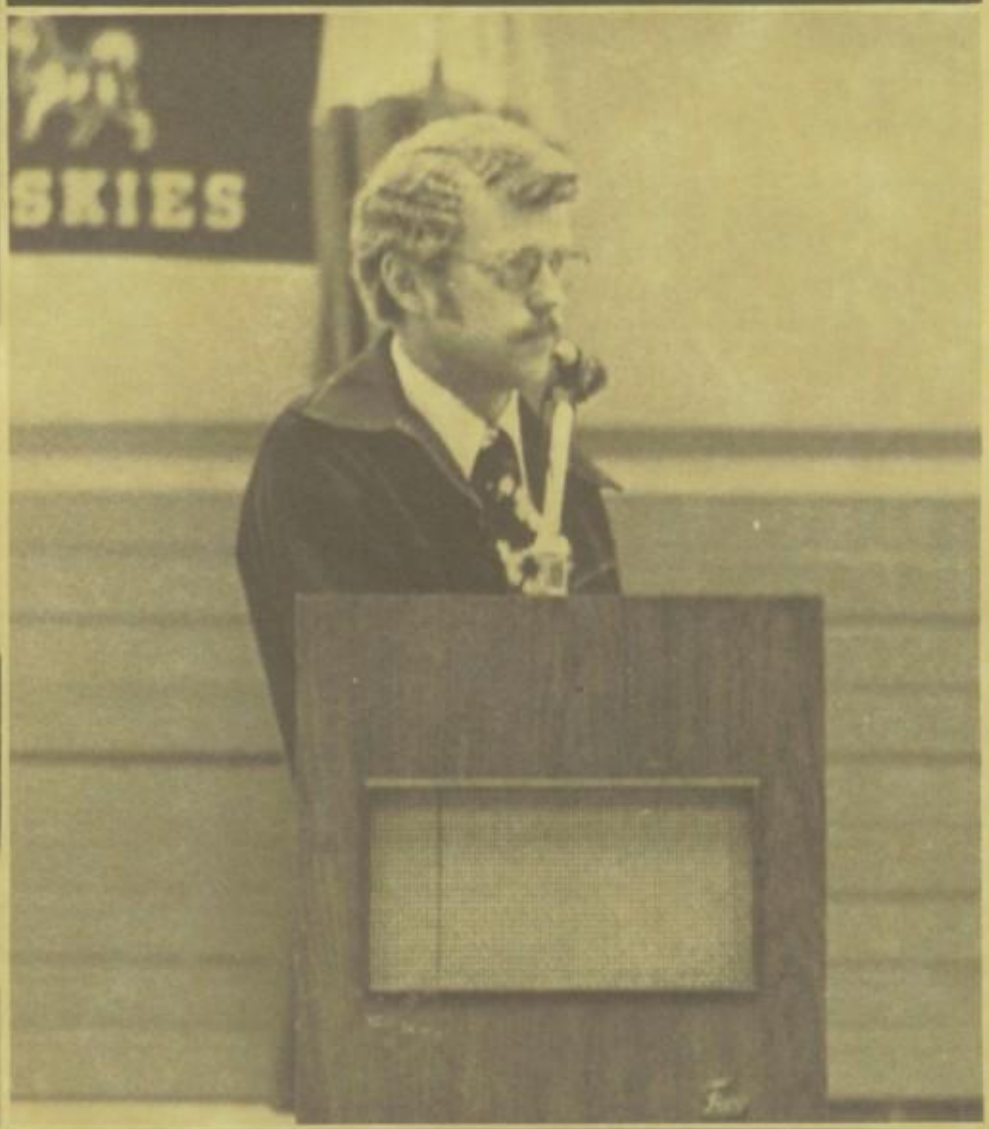
Brian White
Erica Wright
Joy Wright
Stuart Wright
David Zsoter

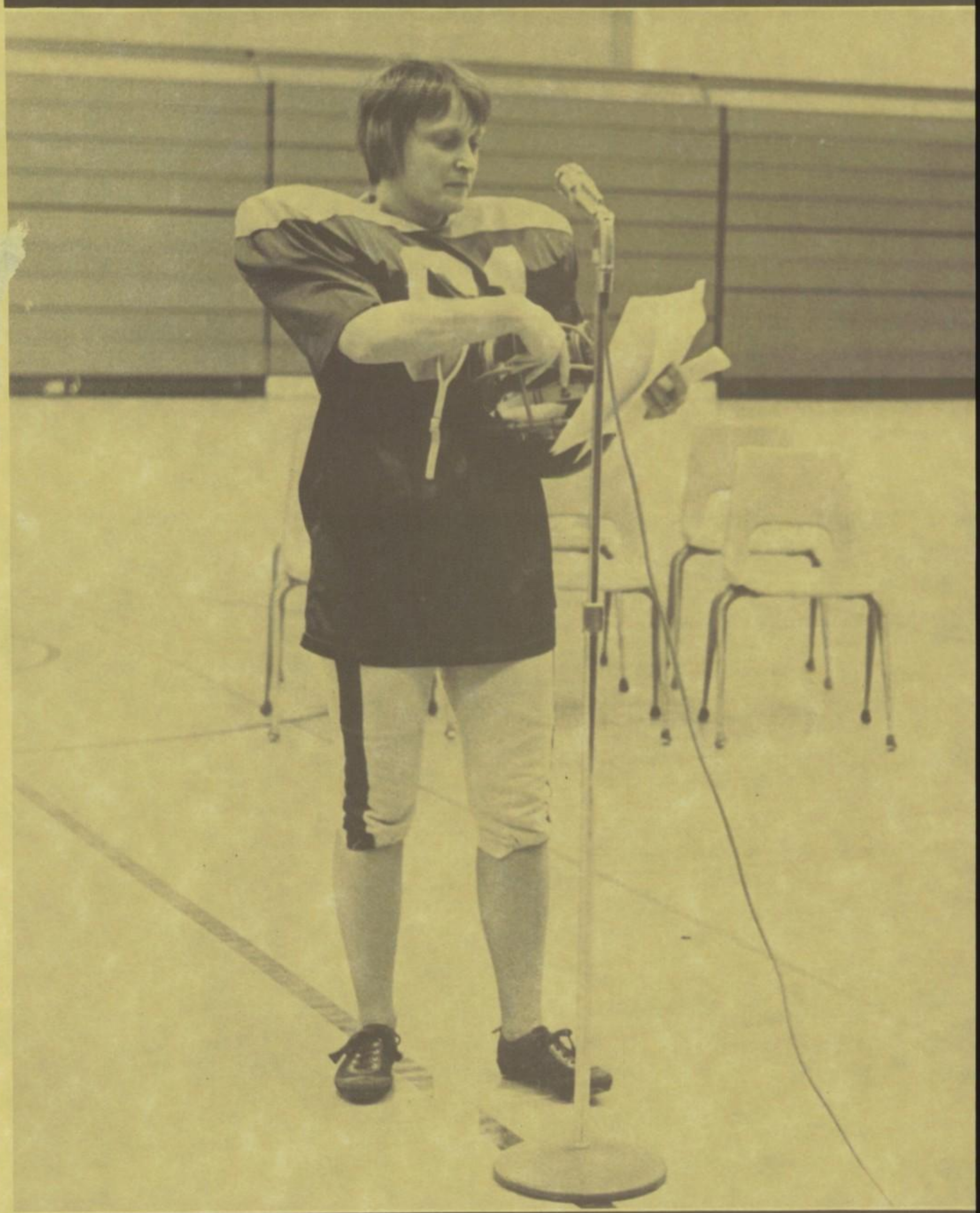
...in New Surroundings



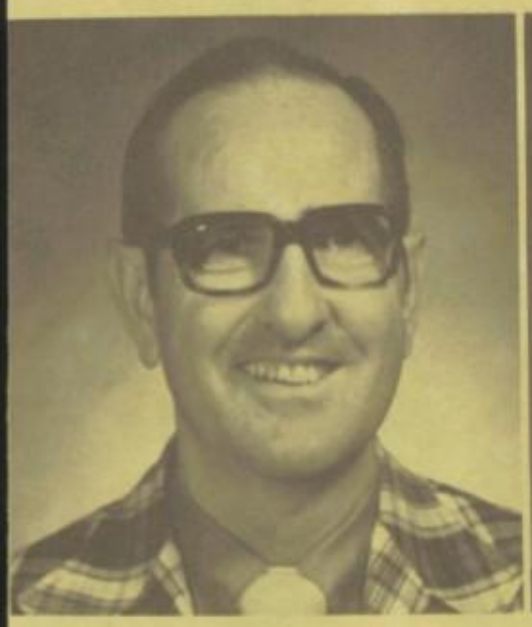
Opposite page, top: Scott Bushre participates in a class discussion. Bottom: Debbie Dean glances toward the camera as she finishes her meal.
Upper left: James Cantu and Dan McClintic do some last minute studying before class. Left: Margaret MacLachlan listens intently to a friend. Above: Keith Krueger, Dave Schwind, and Jim Giles are on the lookout for action.

Administration and Faculty





School Board, Administration, and Office Staff Take Interest in Student Problems



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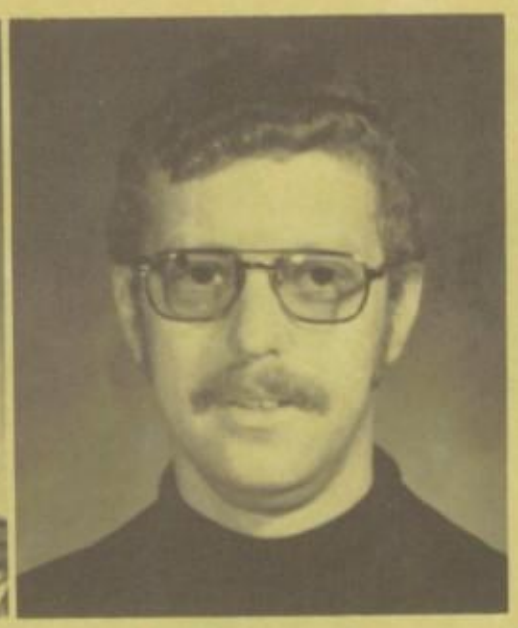

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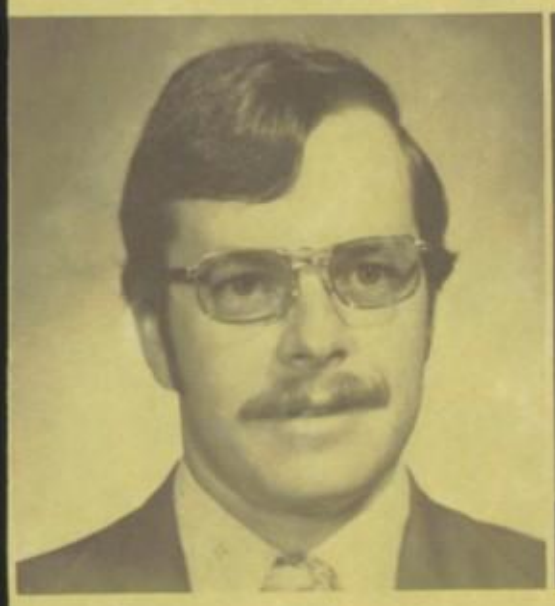

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Lynn Kirby
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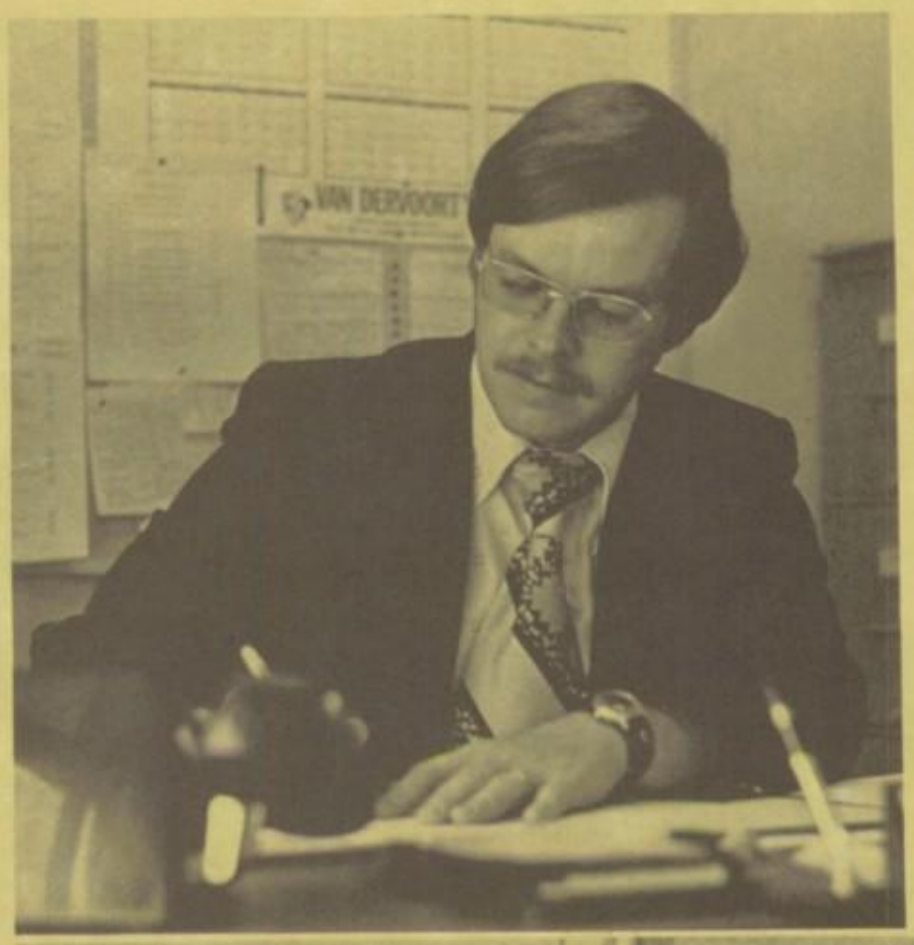

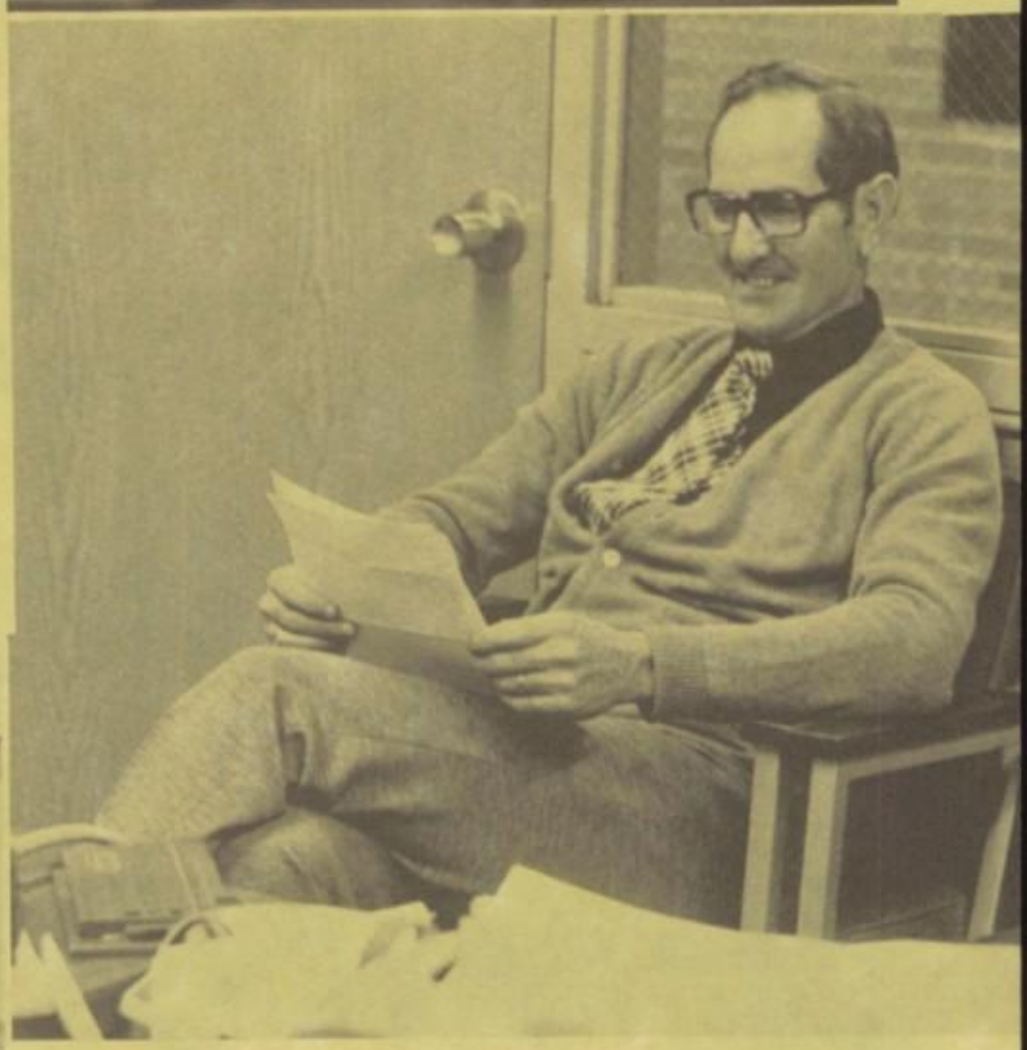

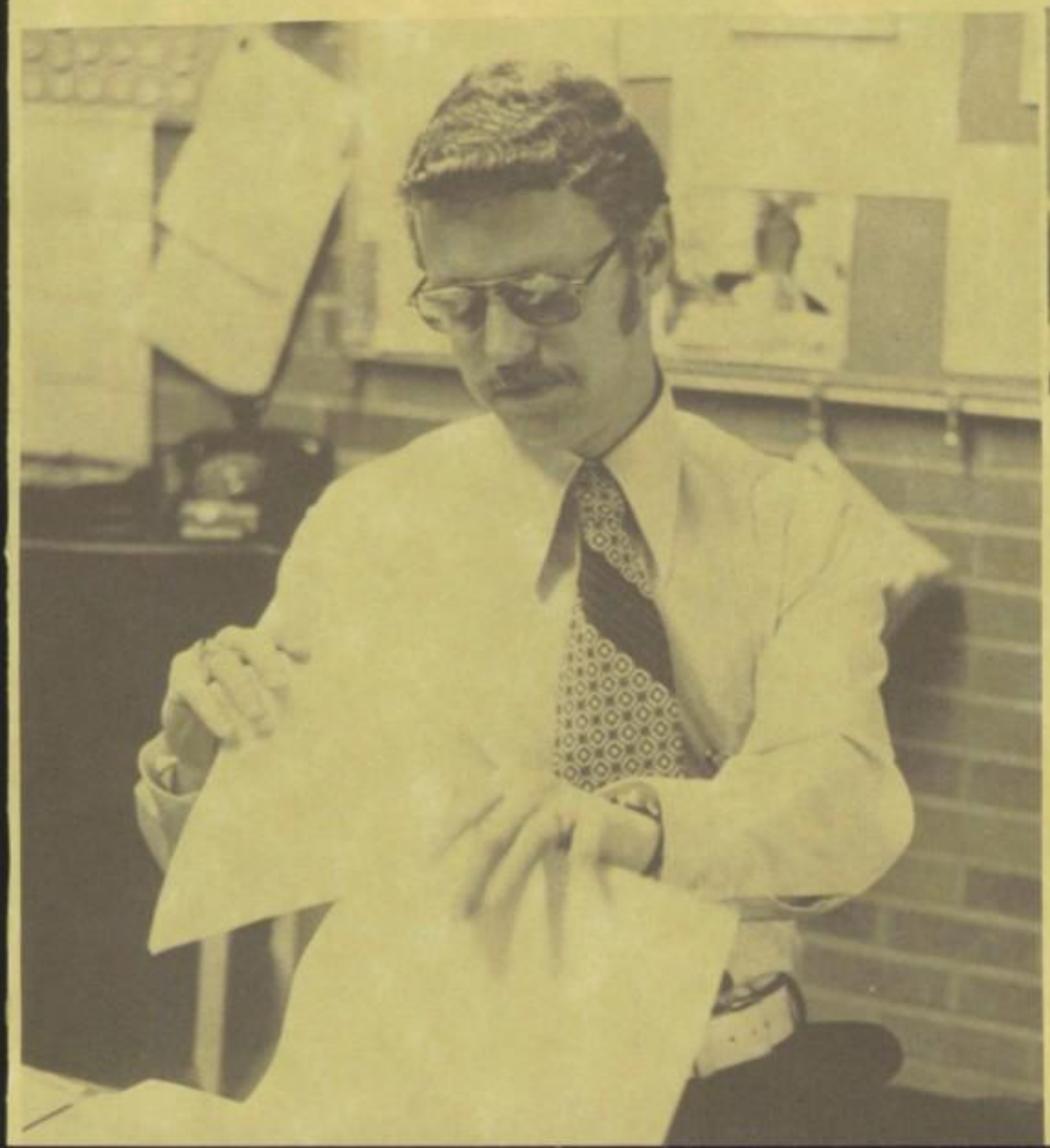

Opposite page, top: Secretaries Andrea Sanchez, Vivian Daniels, Wanda Robertson, and Nilah Mason keep the office running smoothly. Bottom: Superintendent John Parfitt discusses an important matter with Secretary Robert Smith while school board members Francis Burkett, Robert Bryce, President Jim Gillis, Vice President Grant Marr, Jane Rotermund, and Treasurer Jim Kennedy listen to a CPA discuss the school's financial situation.
Top: Mr. Tom Gorang, Assistant Principal and Athletic Director, finds his many duties both enjoyable and time consuming. Above: Superintendent John Parfitt takes a break from his daily routine. Left: Principal Al Amstutz follows a busy schedule in his office.

Teachers... Motivate and Inspire

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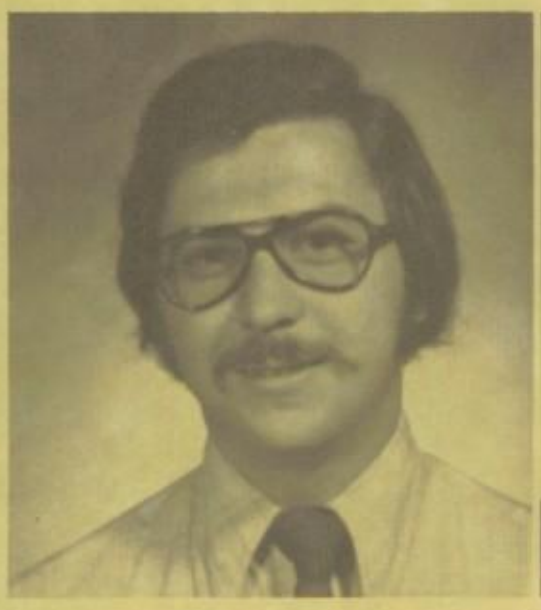
Business Education

Richard Bender
English

Pam Bolt
Physical Education



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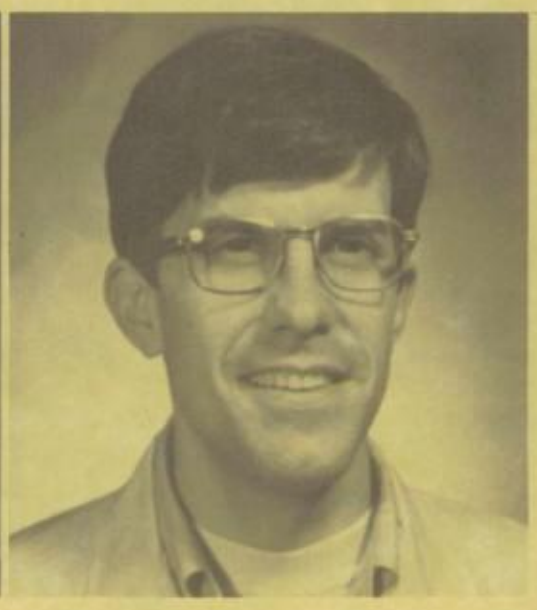
Instrumental Music

Lon Busch
Physical Education



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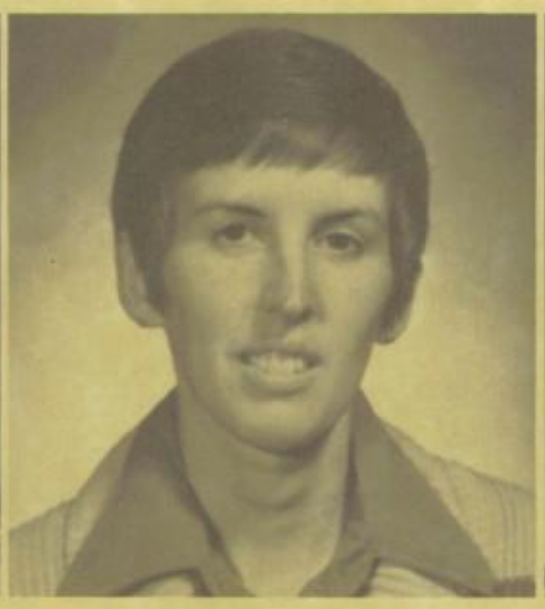
Art

Don Clingenpeel
Biology



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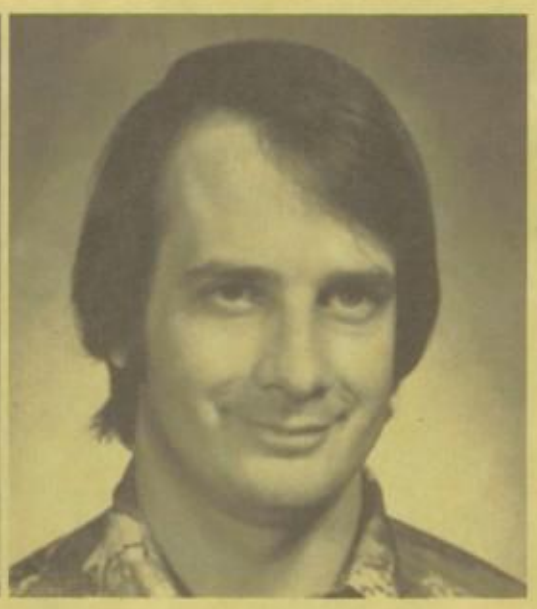

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Drafting, Industrial Arts

Jim Connell
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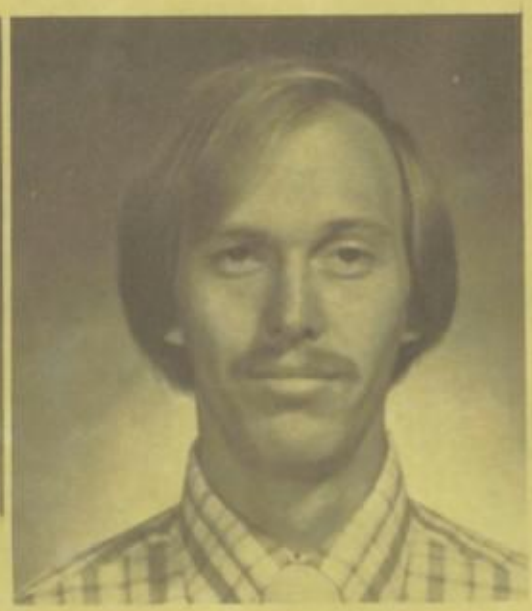

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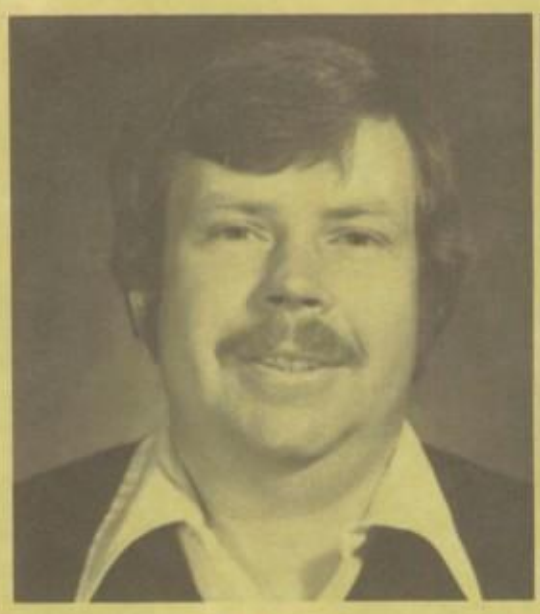

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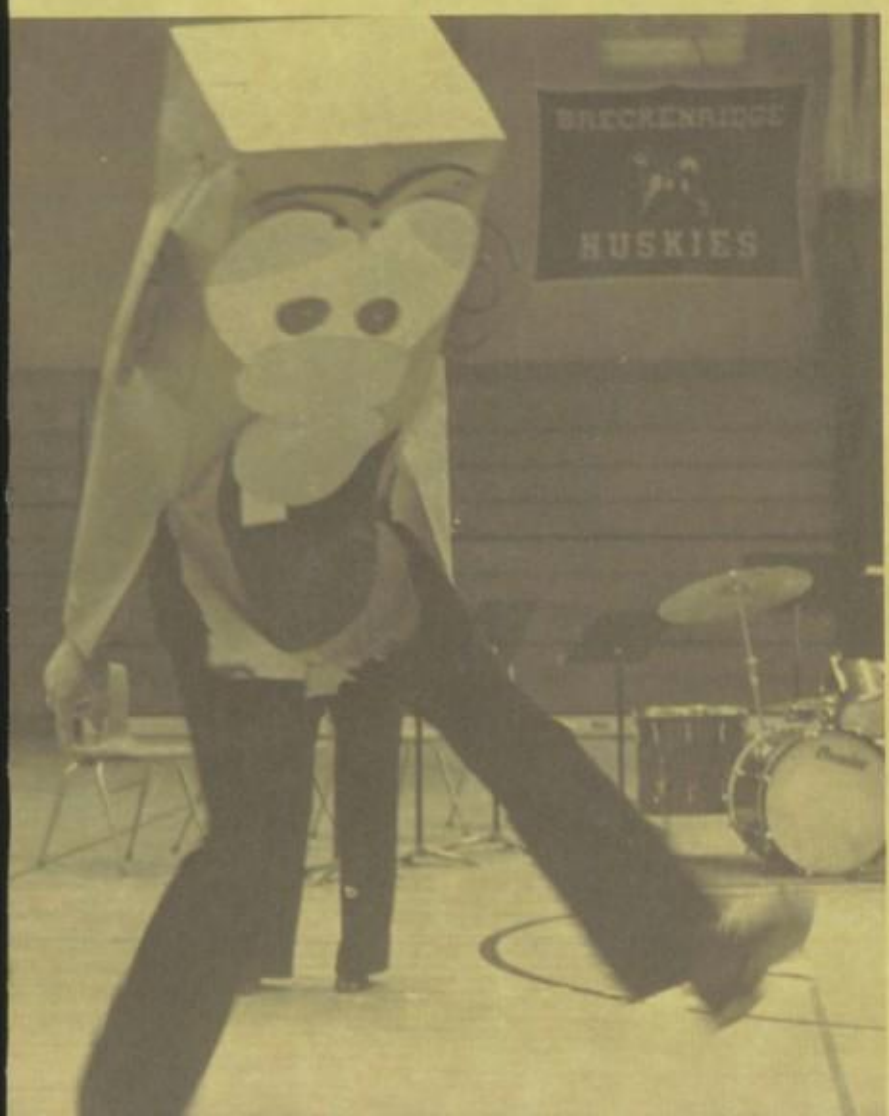
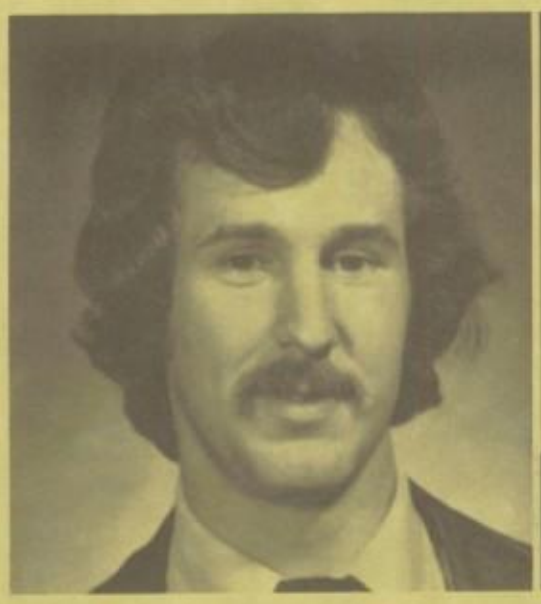
Math

Carolyn Dunn
Home Economics



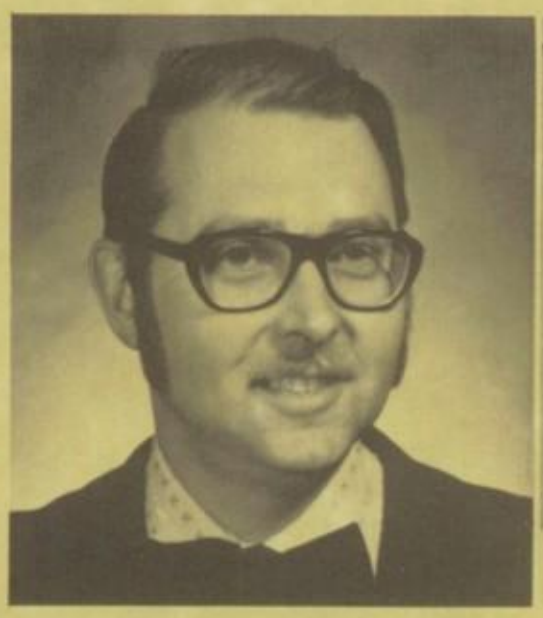


Wayne Florida
English

Rudy Godefroidt
Social Studies

Top: Teachers lend enthusiasm during a pep assembly. Bottom: Mr. Wayne Florida displays his dancing ability during the faculty frolic at the Christmas assembly.

Teachers...Approach Education in Many Ways



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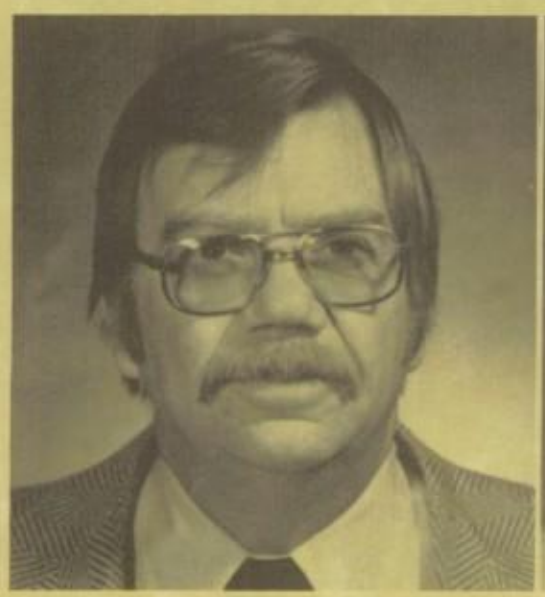
Study Hall



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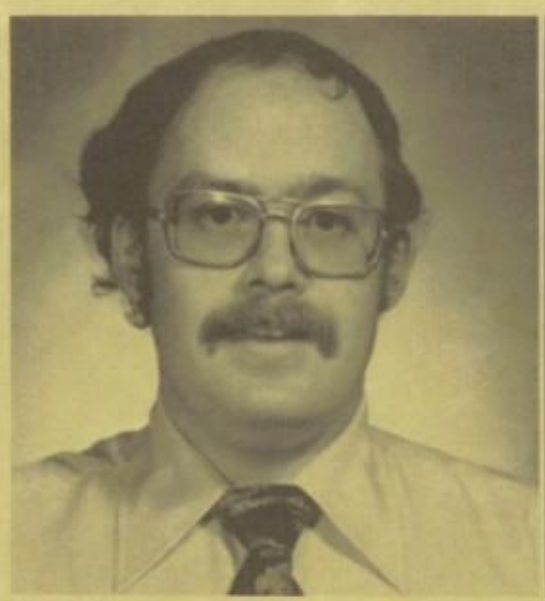

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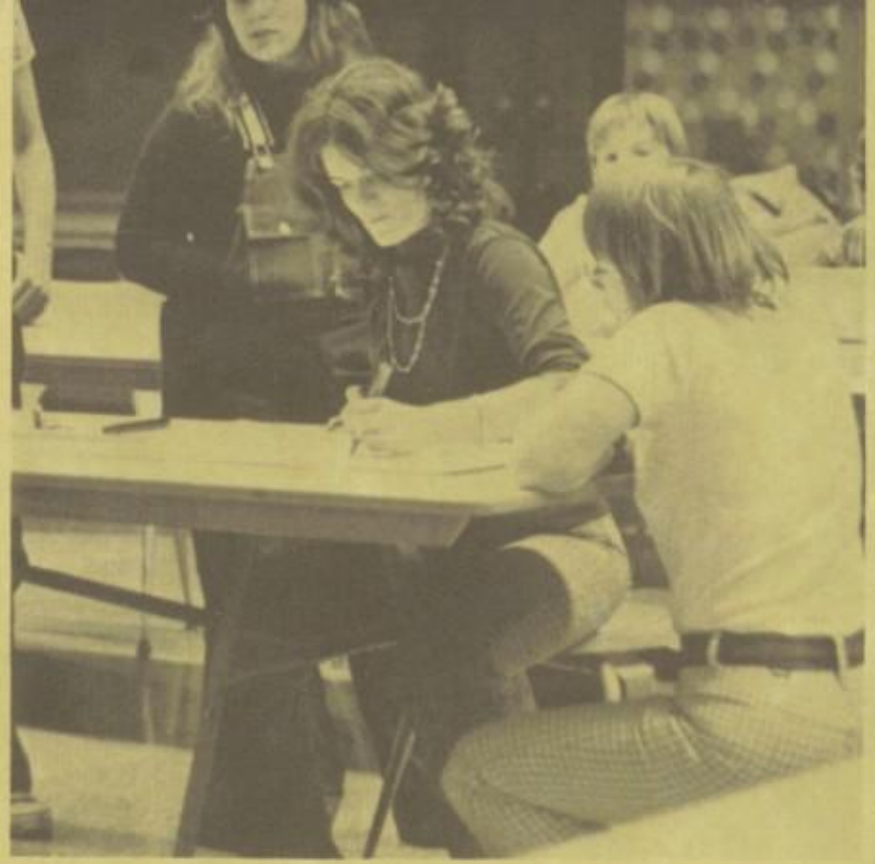

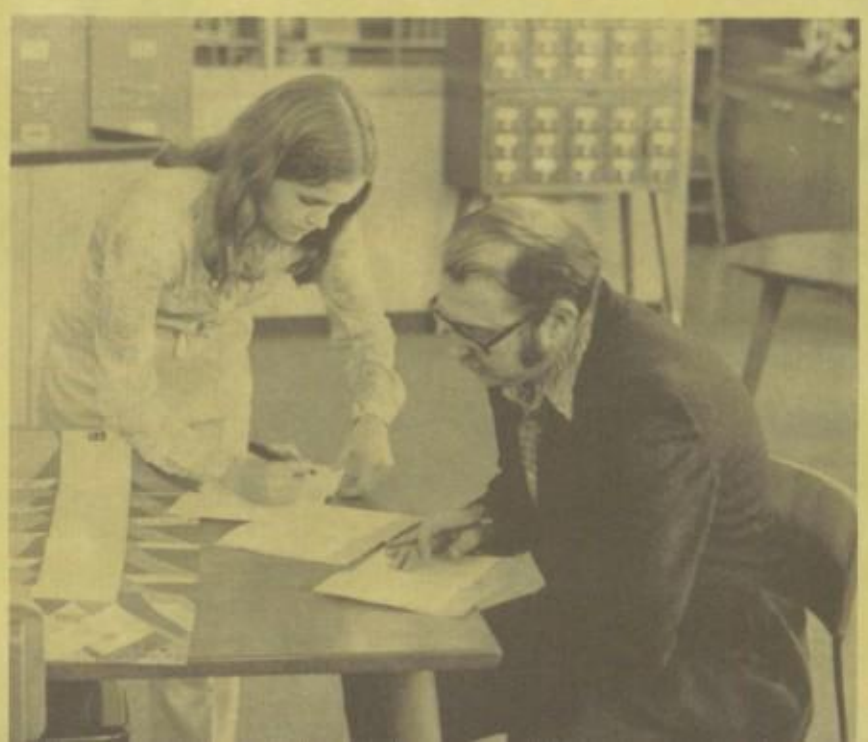

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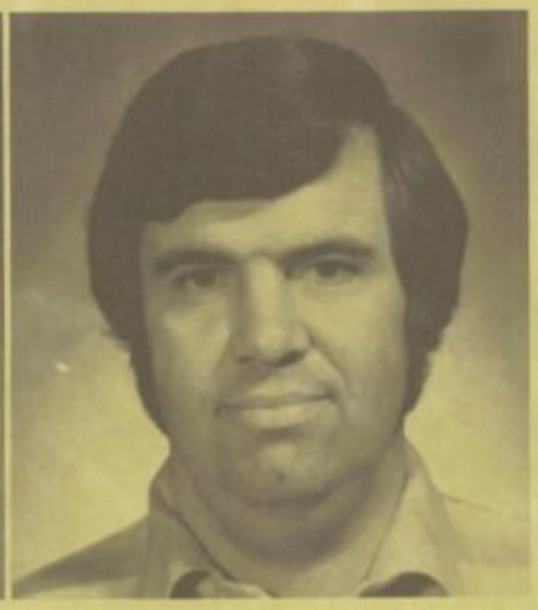
Librarian



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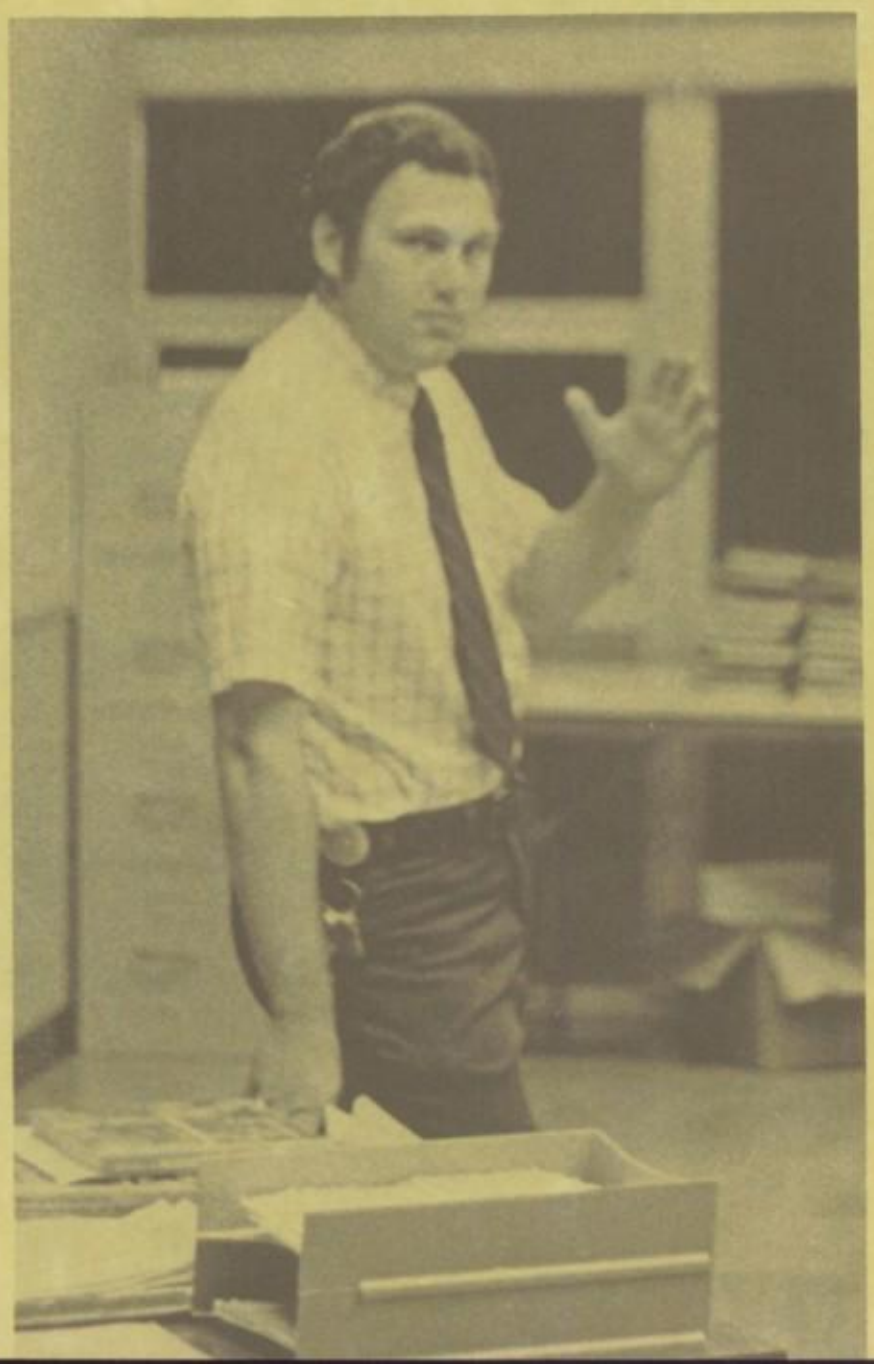
Math, Science



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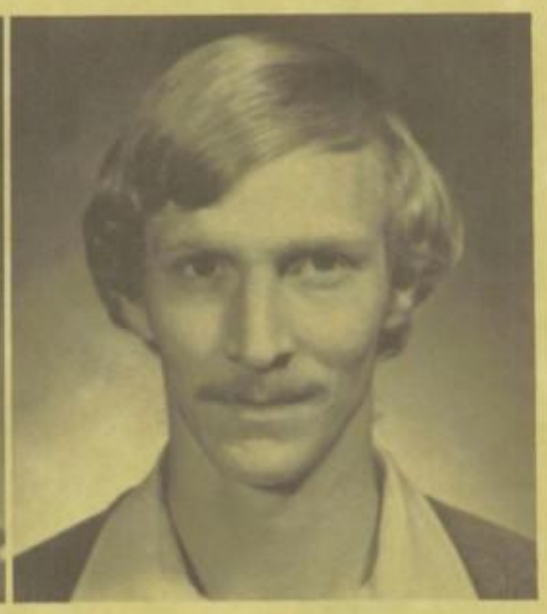
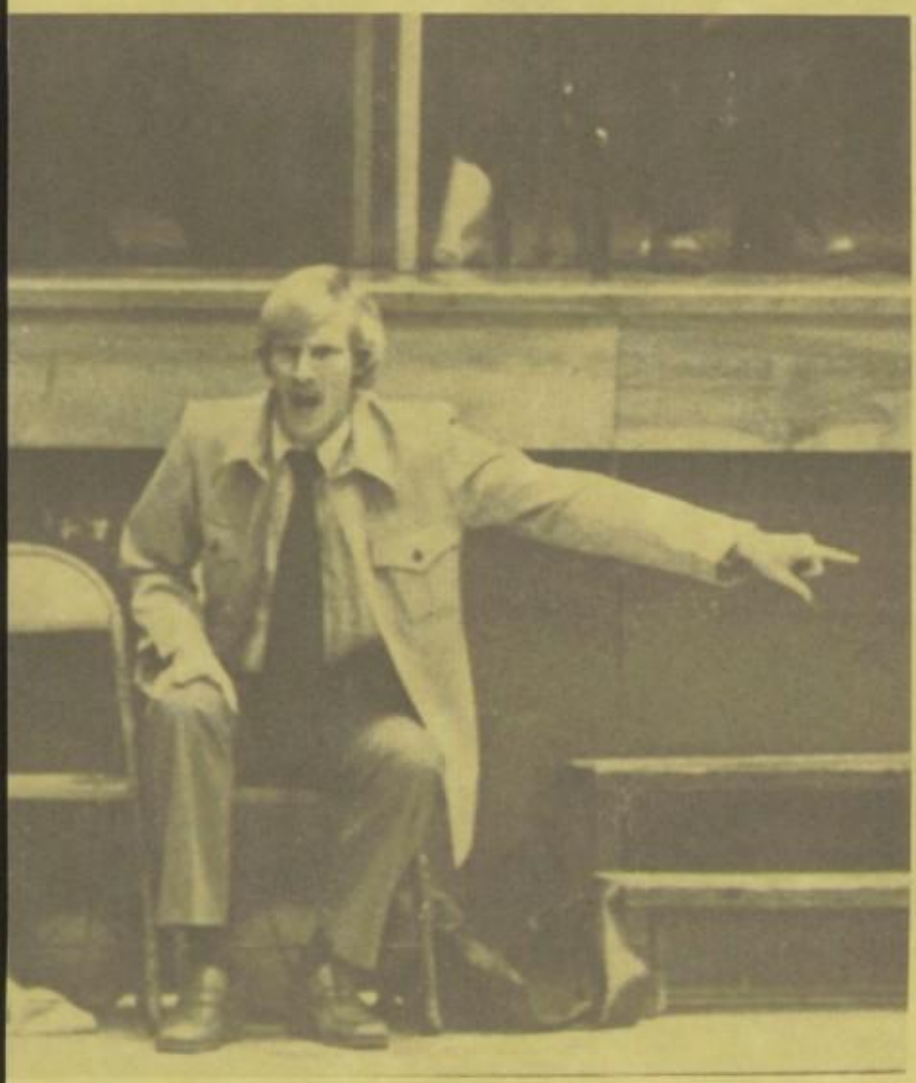
Resource Room



Dan Redes
Industrial Arts

Opposite page, top: After school practice is one of many jobs for Mrs. Dianne Young, Drama Club advisor. Center: A quick glance at Mr. Mike Doty finds him in his usual happy mood. Bottom: Mr. Dave Grahek, Junior class advisor, helps boost the annual magazine sale. Top: Mr. Ron McCallum and Mr. Keith Kushion appear ready to greet parents at Back-To-School Night. Bottom: Mr. Jim Connell always has time for a friendly wave between classes.

Teachers...Encourage Students to Learn and Study



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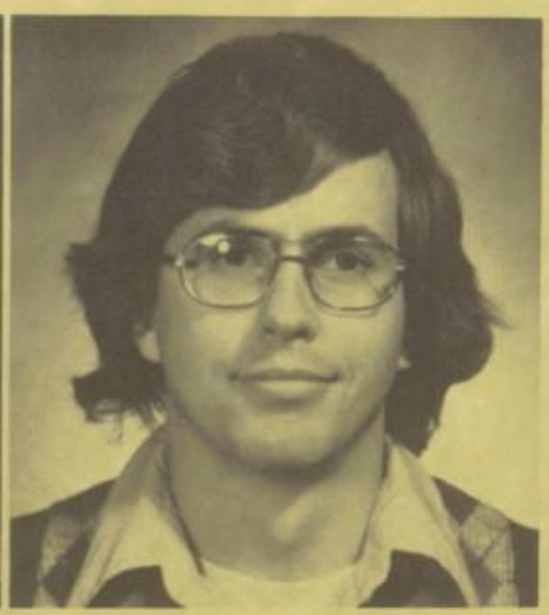

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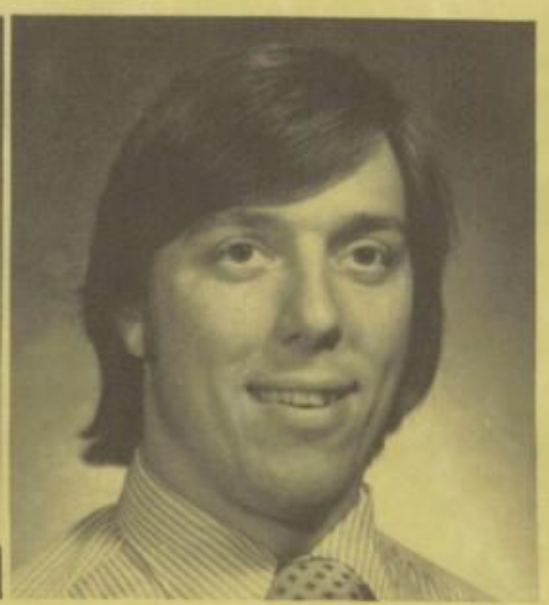

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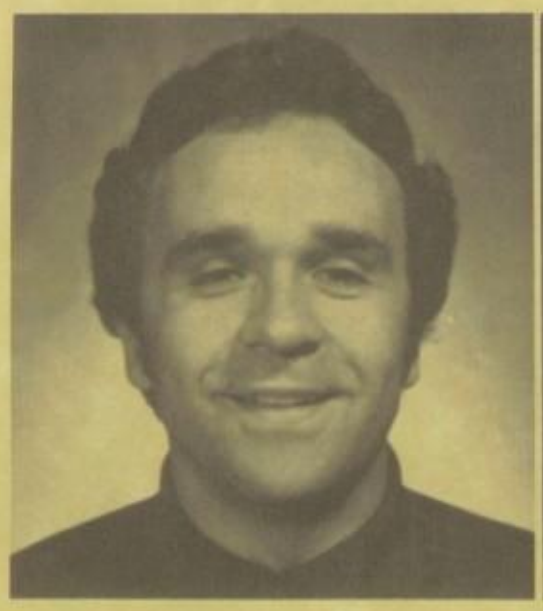

Terry Voss
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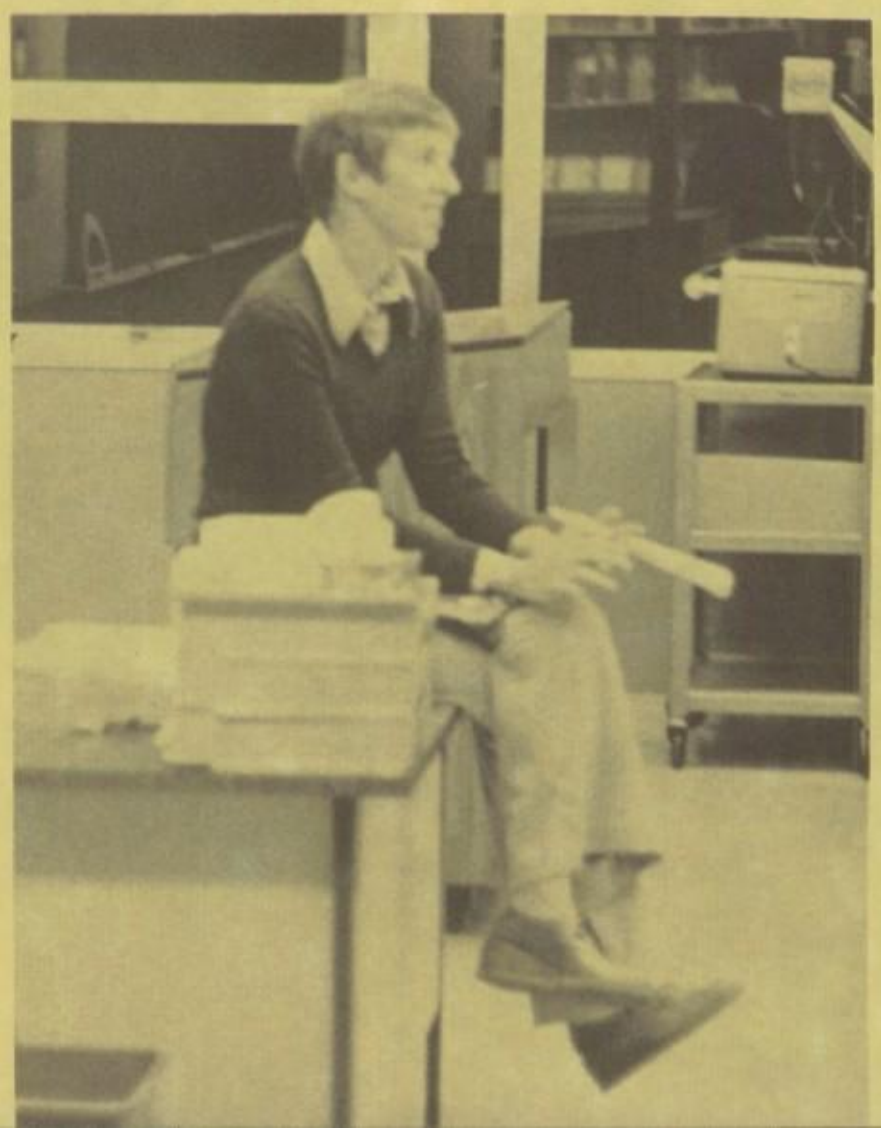
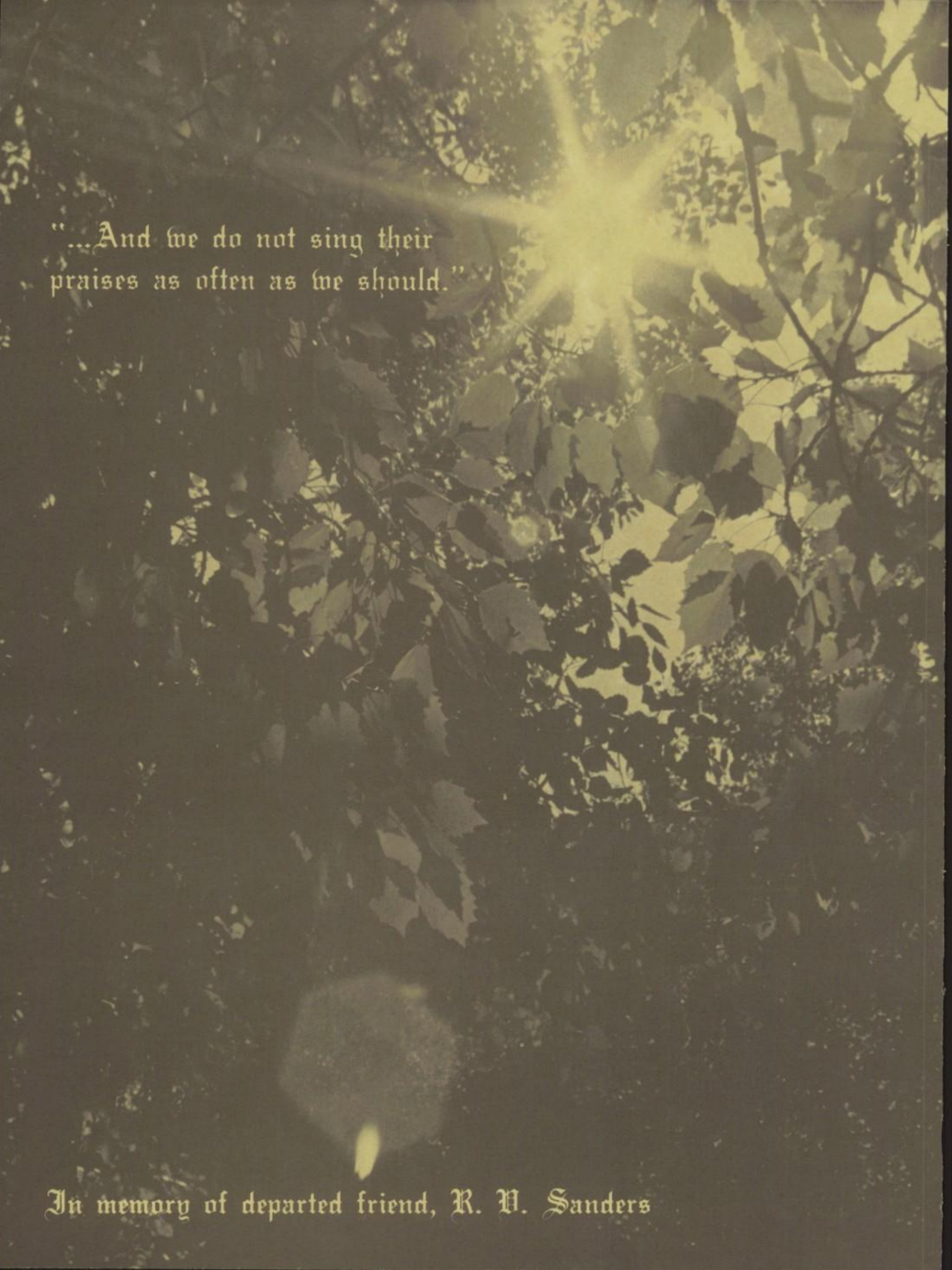
Dianne Young
Reading, Math



Top: JV Basketball coach Mr. Dan Redes gives directions from the sidelines. Bottom: Mrs. Diane Colbry holds an informal class discussion.

Service Workers Smile...Show Friendly Spirit

Top: Bus drivers gather after their daily route. Kneeling: Kathryn Guthrie, Barbara Juhas, Phyllis Agle, Wanda O'Boyle, Edna Howard, Alice Compeau, Rose Collins. Standing: Andy Juhas, Judy Lenner, Verla Qualls, Joanne Green, Gwen Dunn, Boneta Fisher, Brenda Kipp, Dewey Wertz, Mary Curtiss. Left: Janitors take time out for a picture. Sitting: Emma Wertz, Martha Foster. Standing: Dick Shelley, Herb Walters, R. V. Sanders, Russell Clark. Below: Cooks prepare lunches every day. They are: Bonnie Snook, Elvira Sanchez, Mary Humphrey, Doratha Furgason, Mary Musselman, Pat Edgecombe.


"...And we do not sing their
praises as often as we should."
In memory of departed friend, R. V. Sanders

'We Brought Back Memories of Yesterday'

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Above: 1976 Brecksonian Staff--Front row: Lorraine Cole, Al Neal, Mike Federspiel, Pat Mizer, Leann Posey. Second row: Scott Laurenz, Deb Millikan, Jan Hoard, Greta Gates, Advisor Marilyn McClintic, Kathryn Milledge, Kathy Watson, Jill Gillis, Dave Giles. Back row: Bruce Neal, Jane Kennedy, Editor Nancy Baldwin, Junior Editor Nadeen Huntoon, Keith Herrington, Mike Bushre.

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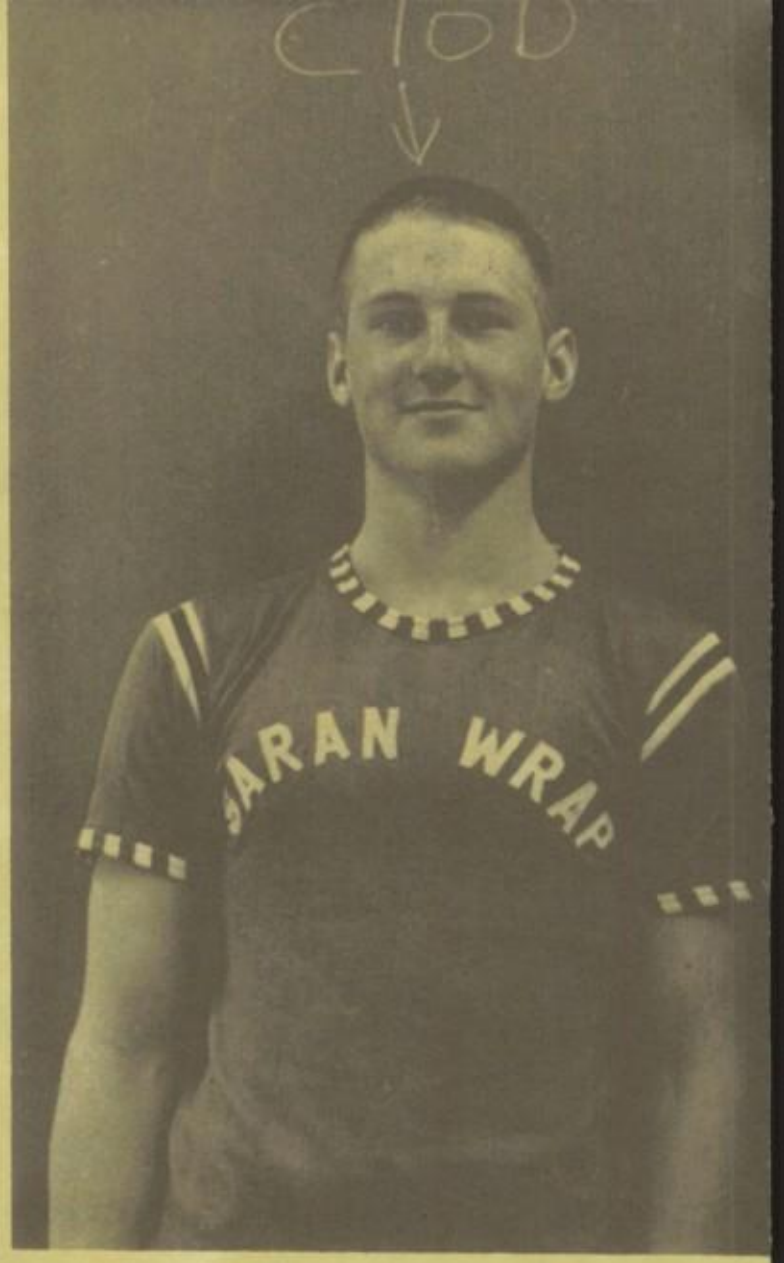
Moments spent together
Are everlasting in my mind.
Memories much too precious
To ever leave behind.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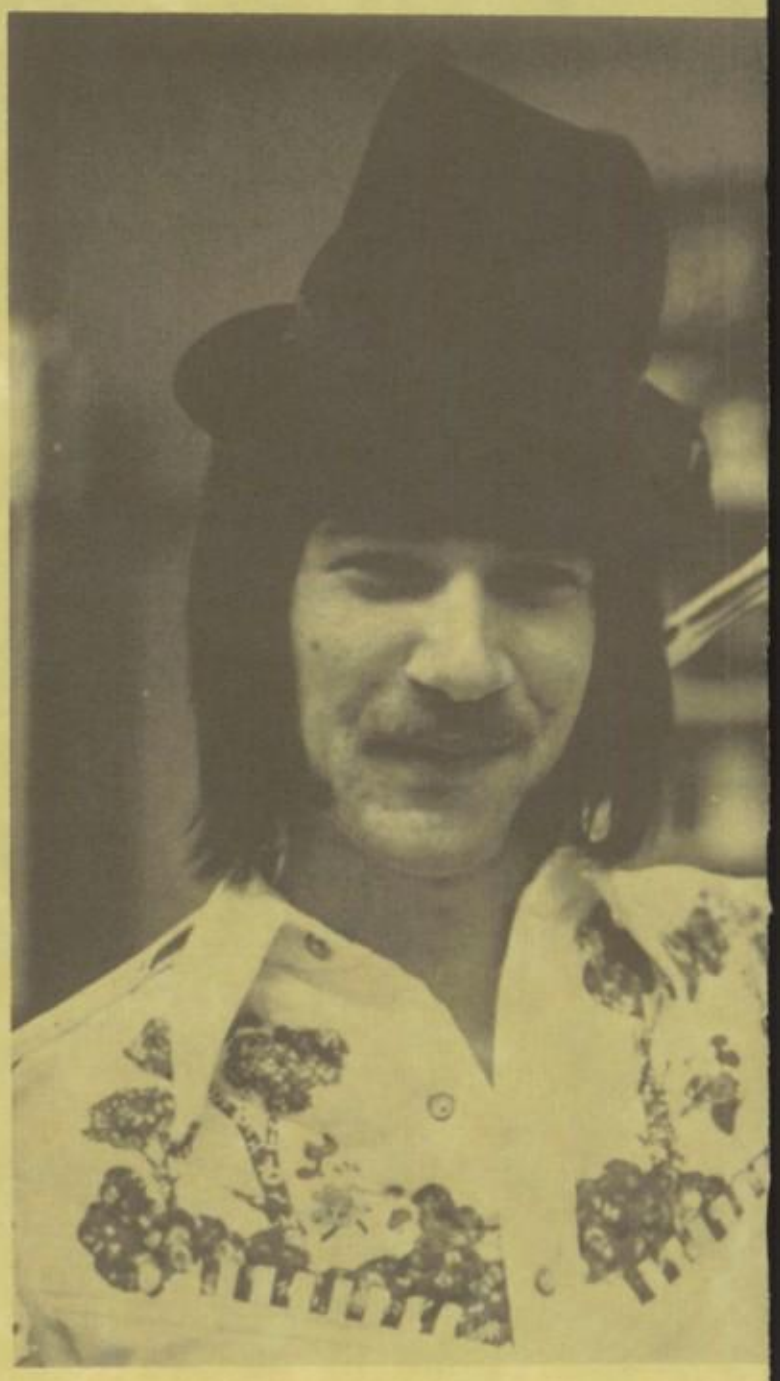
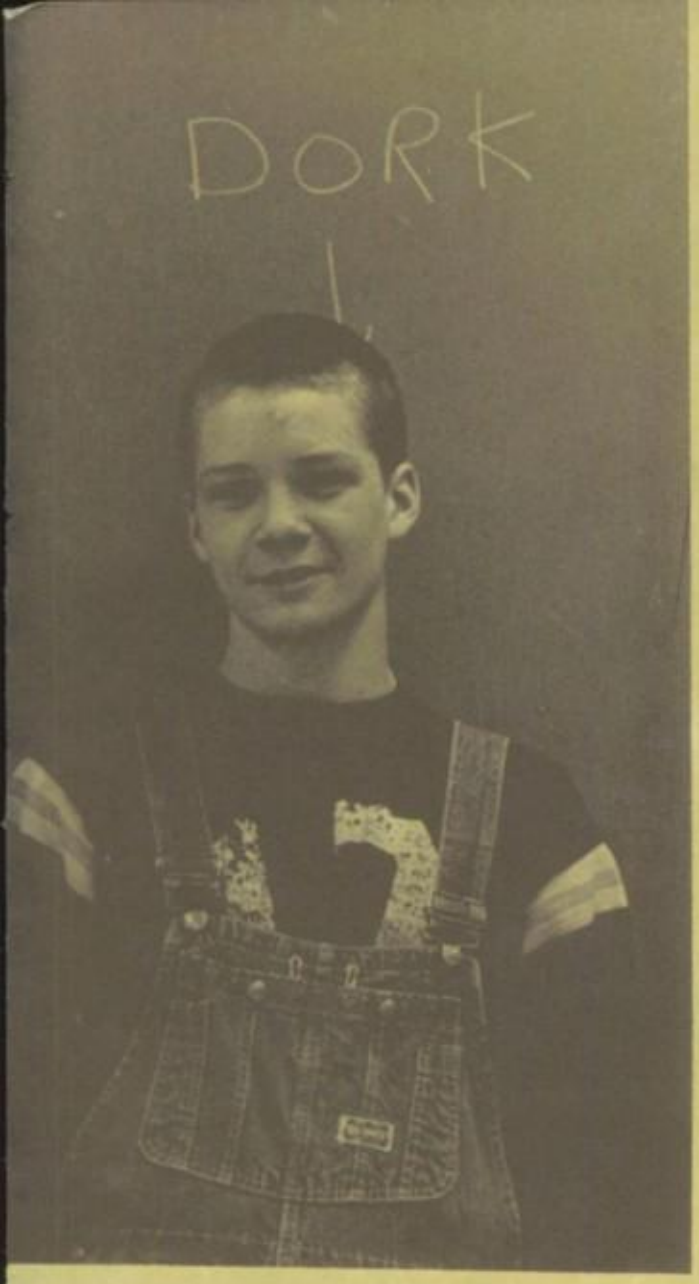


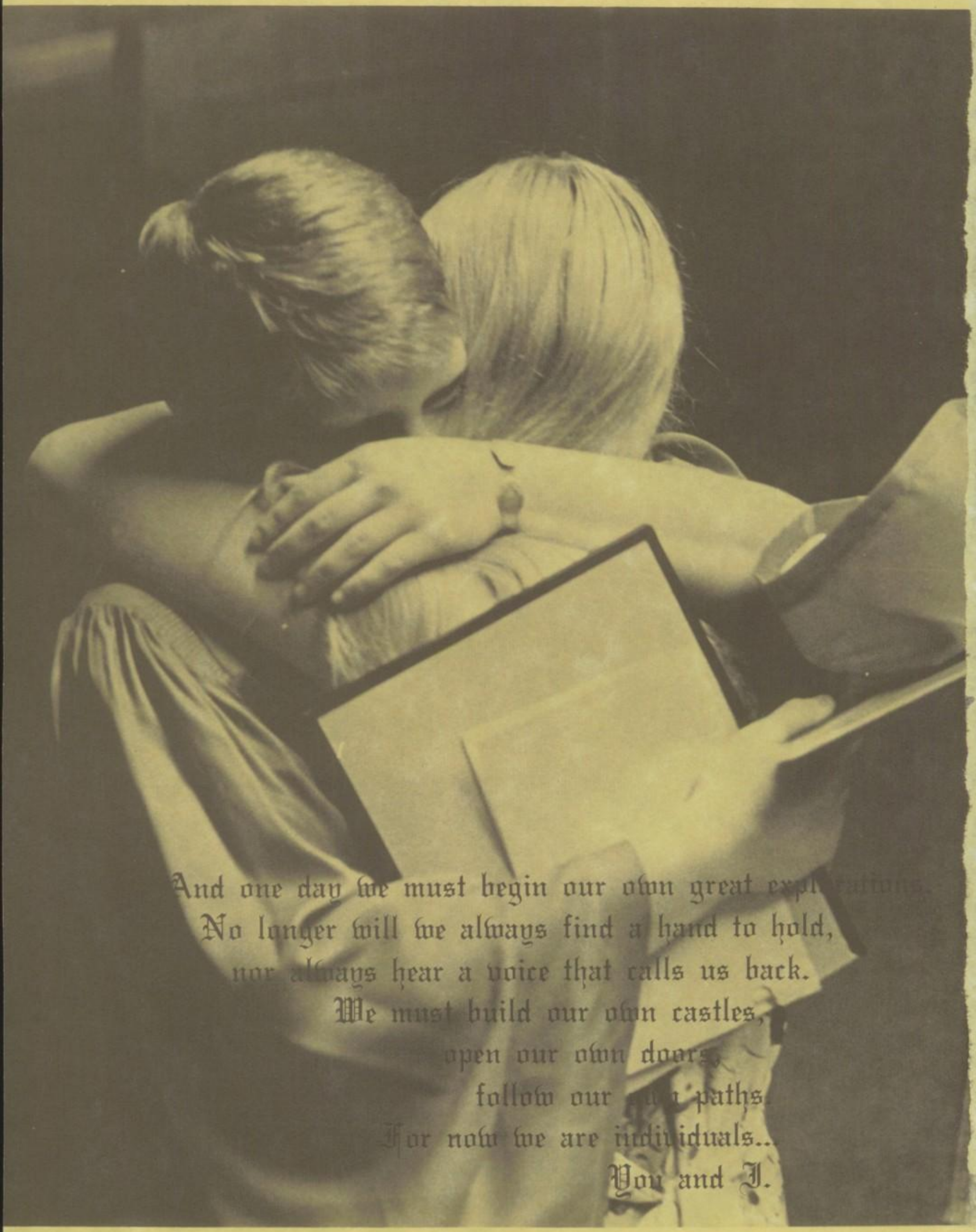


You've left me with memories

Of good times we've had,

To treasure for ever

And make me feel glad.



And one day we must begin our own great explorations.
No longer will we always find a hand to hold,
nor always hear a voice that calls us back.
We must build our own castles,
open our own doors,
follow our own paths.
For now we are individuals...
You and I.